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FIHE long-awaited appeal a ceasefire in Laos has been made. There will be a certain amount of satisfaction that the threestage British formula has at last been accepted and upon by Russia. When it was first suggestlast month there was some reluctance to agree to the ceasefire. It seems pretty clear now that Moscow was holding up a decision on this issue to allow the reinforced and heavily armed left-wing insurgents to gain as much ground as possible.

Moscow's probable line of reasoning was that as long as the left-wing groups were allowed to gain a descidedly advantageous position in time for the international conference aimed at settling the political future of Laos, it did not matter when the ceasefire appeal was issued. Russia was simply playing for time and her tacties have paid off well. There is now no question of a neutral Laos government not having representatives of the Pathet Lao; the only question is how many, and whether the West will be able to accept their demands without seriously compromising the neutral character of the Govern-

Boun Oum remaining premier are nil. He will be lucky to keep a sent on the cabinet. It is almost certain that if a compromise possible, Souvanna Phouma will take up the figurehead post of Premier West has no other choice ... unless it decides on a con-

the army of such a governthe Communists are bound | dependence celebrations.

HIUS the ceasefire appeal an anti-climax. The West from Bordeaux to Gibraltar. tuted was not taken very aeriously.

The only hope is that the lesson, and that it can someexample of a situation Prealdent Kennedy described in border."

Insurrection surrender

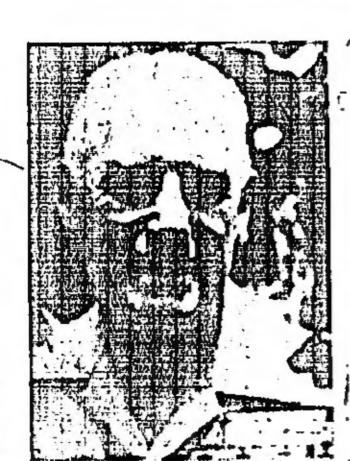
Algiers, Apr. 26. The four-day generals' revolt against President Charles de Gaulle collapsed early today as suddenly as it began.

Government troops, kept out

of the city by the insurgents for

four days, took over almost

without a fight.



General Salan

The fate of the four leaders of the revolt was not known. General Maurice Challe and General Raoul Salan left their headquarters by car for an unknown destination at 1 am but the whereabouts of the other two insurgent leaders was a mystery. In Paris a spokesman at the

Ministry of Information said Salan and Chall; had "escaped." He wild he did not know where to and he had no further in-General de Gaulle, who fought back against the revolt with iron

determination, conferred in Paris with his ministers on how . to handle the aftermath. The revolt - collapsed within the space of half an hour after a day filled with rumours.

Withdrew

The majority of the paratroopers who had occupied the centre of the city since early on Saturday withdrow to the suburbs-although some of their number remained in the Forum, Algiers' main square. Sailors loyal to General de Gaulle stood over the radio station, which changed hands in a drama-packed half hour

A group of loyal officers flew half-brother Prince Sou- The veterans, all belonging to In-Salah, in the Sahara Historic Desert, to the Transport Minis-Vehicles Club, ter Robert Buron and Algerian crove from the British Trans- Commander-in-Chief General

Fighting broke out in the streets as the paratroopers pull-Lord Montagu, President of ed out, their trucks rumbling

It was believed that most of those involved were civilians, but some paratroopers who remained behind appeared to be clashing with police.

Appeals for calm Algiers radio, once more under the control of the Government, broadcast appeals for calm. "It is all over. Go home, Tho situation is normal," an announcer said emotionally.

But his appeals fell on deaf ears Thousands througed the streets to watch. Government troops take over key buildings. Shots rang out but it was not known who fired them.

Even as the paratroopers The revolt was already pracwere withdrawing from Algiers, I tically over. throughout France against a

Airports were closed to prevent the paratroops flying in and uttack Paris But the prewhen the threat of an attack was very real, were not neces-

General de Gaulle called Prime Minister Michel Debre, acting Interior Minister Roger Frey and Algerian Affairs Minister Louis Noxe into session at the Elysee Palace office.

No communique No communique was issued: There was no official Government reaction to the news that the threat to the President's power had been overcome.

The President himself went to bed at 2 am. What would happen to the rebel generals and colonels who led the paratroop revolt in a value effort to keep Algeria in French hands was not im-

mediately clear. All four generals, the head of the revolt - Salan, Challe, Rose. Edmond Jouhaud and Marie-Andre Zeller have already and her ticket, and duly colbeen stripped of their rank by, lected £500,-China Mail General De Gaulle.

American astronaut rocket explodes

Cape Canaveral, Apr. 25. A U.S. rocket carrying a robot "astronaut" toward a planned orbital trip ground the earth exploded in smoke and flames today less than a minute after it was launched.

The space cabin was nutomatically ejected from failing rocket and fell back into the Atlantic by parachute. Observers on the Cape caid that from all appearances a man could have survived the

Today's shot was similar to one which the Russians succeeded in carrying out earlier this month with a human aboard their rocket. Yuri Gegarin made one pass around the globe in a Russian space cabin and was safely returned to earth.

DESTROYED

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration anpunished under the laws of nounced that the Atlas missile was destroyed after about 40 seconds of flight, and that the spacecraft was separated from the booster by its escape system arrested and brought to the "which apparently worked capital to face trial theresatisfactorily."

The announcement indicated that a malfunction developed in Officer. Today's shot was to have ence in Geneva on May 12.

been building up that the re- paved the way for the free volt was coming to a climax, world's first manned space But as late as 8 pm it was still flight, possibly some time early came in a note to the British al supervisory commission (of not clear what that climax was next month. It was not deter- Government. The official India, Canada and Poland) for affect that schedule.

Next month's shot, however, would employ a Redstone. rather than an Atlas missile. The Redstone shot will be a sub-orbital flight and will carry human astronaut.

A helicopter successfully recovered today's space capsule from the ocean and flew it back onto the cape about 20 minutes after the explosion.

BLACK BOXES The helicopter landed in an the cape and deposited the capsule on the ground. Scientists immediately went to work

The "mechanical astronaut" consisted of, according to one expert, "n bunch of little black boxes painted grey" situated in the base of the capsule where a live astronaut will ride later

on a special couch. The piece of machinery was known officially as a "crewman simulator", and its job was to imitate the breathing and blood circulation of a human being. It was designed to "breathe in" oxygen and "exhale" carbon

PRIEST

Lyons, Apr. 25. French police looking for militant rightwingers said they discovered one here tonight-in garb. storeroom of arms,-Reuter.

seized about 6,000 copies of pornographic books in English on both sides of the harbour.

They were thought to be translations from banned books which enjoyed wide circulation in France and other countries abroad.

Also reized with the pocket books were about 1.000 printing blocks of pages probably made from

the originals or copies of originals. The police made the nelzuro in Causeway Bay, and in Shek Kip Mel. As the books were printed in English in Hongkong, it was assumed that they were intended to be sold to local college

students.

A number of people were detained for questioning by the police, However, police enquiries are still going on.

SIDES AGREE CEASEFIRE LAOS

London, Apr. 25. The Royal Laotian Government and the Communist Pathet Lao accepted today the joint Anglo-Russian appeal for a ceasefire between their opposing forces, official announcements said.

notified agreement to order cd a joint call by Britain and their forces to halt hostilities as Russia yesterday to the two the rocket and that it was des- a first move towards a proposed warring factions in Laos troyed by the range Safety peace settlement at a fulldress 14-nation peace confer- Geneva peace conference.

Lao leader Prince Souphanouvong soon agreed for the Com-

munists. But the Communists sounded an ominous warning that they are approaching the proposed Laos settlement from position of victor."

Red proposal

The Communists proposed area on the northeast side of | Souvanna Phouma immediately | visory commission. convene a meeting of the three sides concerned in Laos, to two conflicting sides in Laos to decide on a ceasefire and regu- ugree on a date and hour for

> The three sides include the ruling Laos regime of Prince Boun Oum, the neutralist faction leaded by ex-Premier Prince Souvana Phouma, and the Communist Pathet Lao, Prince Souvanna Phouma at

the same time announced his side of the ceasefire. support for the Anglo-Russian Laos settlement plan. In an announcement, broad- Britain formally that its army east by Tass from Hanol he is ready to that effect.-UPI. called for the three Laos parties to send representatives to Khouang (in central Laos) on-

April 28 to discuss the revamping of the Laos Government, in London the Foreign Secretary, Lord Home, told the House of Lords that an "actual Invernia went aground ceasefire" in Laos was expect- Southampton Water ed within the next few days.

Both sides in Laus conflict | The twin moves today followceasefire, as a prelude to a

In New Delhi, Indian Premier Jawaharlal Nehru convoked the The Royal Laotian acceptance three member Laos internationmined how today's failure would Soviet agency Tass said Pathet Friday. The commission is to proceed from there to Laos carly next week to verify the

ccasefire. Lord Home in his statement today made it clear that the commission have to supervise the ecasefire as well as "keep an eye on the importation of

arms from the outside." Both the United States and Britain have served notice they will attend the Geneva conthat "the legal Laotian Govern- ference only if the ceasefire is ment headed by Premier Prince duly "verified" by the super-

The next move is for the lation of the cessation of hestili- their forces to ceasefire on the Laos battle fronts.

This procedure was expected to take a few days. Lord Home eautioned in his statement at the House of Lords today that the prospects of a conference would be "endangered" if there | ties to the American unit, the was any doubt about the British Army will extend its "urgency or sincerity" of either co-operation to provide certain

Earlier today, the Royal Laotian Government informed statement said:

AGROUND

Southampton, Apr. 25. The 21.717-ton Cunard liner shortly after leaving the port Lord Home added that the for Montreal with 455 passen-

United States "are working as gers aboard. showed them a hiding place hard as we are now for a poll- Nine tugs summoned by radio where, they said, there was a tical settlement" in embattled messages were trying to tow her free.—China Mail Special.

recognises Britain

London, Apr. 25. The Fereign Office spokesman the Netherlands as the sovereign power in West New Guinea.

then Minister of State in the The

Foreign Minister, as saying

Duich New Guines. spokesman'

would repeat what Mr Edward Heath, Lord Privy Scal, said in Parliament on April 12that Britain hoped Indonesia would honour its previous assurances not to use force to pursue its claims, but that Britain accepted commitment to give over New Quines, Router.

tell

cold surge passing through Hongkong brought a thunderstorm with 2.26 inches of rain and a sharp drop of 16.3 degrees in temperature early this morning.

At 3 am today, a cold surge from the north passed through the Colony, replacing the warm southerly air stream by a cooler, drier air stream from the north-

During its passage, over two inches of rain were recorded which, at its maximum intensity, was falling at the rate of over five inches per hour. This brings the total rainfall this month so far up to 0.78 inches against an average of 5.36 inches for the whole month.

MAIN REASON The Observatory spokesman sald that during the past few days, Hongkong has been under the influence of a warm and humid air stream from the south which has been the main reason for the recent thundery activity. Since thundery вномета broke out on the afternoon of Sunday, a total of 4.06 inches of rainfall has been recorded at

the Observatory. This thundery activity has not been confined to Hongkong but has been fairly widespread over South China. The maximum temperature yesterday, 84.7 degrees, F. was

recorded at midnight last night. At 8 am today, however, the temperature dropped to a low of d8.4 degrees.

It is expected to rise during the day to about 75 to 78 degrees, said the Observatory

During the night, temperature will drop again, he sald.

TT range

London, Apr. 25. An American Corporal missile battalion will use British missile range in the Hebrides Islands, off the northwest coast of Scotland, for two weeks in June, the Ministry of Defence announced tonight.

"In lending its range faciliequipment and support perconnel." the official ministry

The ministry said it was "in accordance with the principles of interdependence that one Nato country should make available to another Nato country any spare capacity it has on its ranges."

The ministry sald periodic practice missile firing was "a routing training requirement." "Previously all U.S. Army. missile units in Europe were required to travel to the United States to conduct practice firings," the ministry amountement ended.

The Corporal, made by the Firestone Tyre and Rubber Company, is a comparatively short range surface-to-surface tactical bembardment recket powered by a liquid propeilant. It can be fitted with nuclear

or conventional high explosive warhead and has range of from 75 to 100 miles. Its speed at burn-out is Mach 3,-Reuter.

SHIPS IDLE

London, Apr. 25. Thirty ships were idled in London Docks tonight as 2,000 longahoremen staged a wildent strike to protest against; the Netherlands military support employment of part-time inbour.



Laos prospect

THE ... chances of Prince

tinuation of fighting which in stalemate — or rally. The future for Laos is not ! the club, addressed the parade | through avenues alive with tenvery bright, therefore, even though the restoration of peace will be generally welcomed. The action of the last few months is a typical Communist manoeuvre. Lnos was not worth a long drawn-out war and Moscow and Peking are obviously satisfied with an arrange-

ment that will leave the country 'neutral and yet sympathetic to whatever approaches they make. Moreover the U.S. is hardly million a year subsidy to it was learned here today.

to fill. country's neutrality. Partly had to return to Bordeaux. Republicans who objected dancing here tonight as this to Pathet Lao representation | 150-year-old British Colony left Prince Souphanouvong independent bow.-Reuter. and his men a discontented minority in the northern jungles asserting themselves Army by staging periodic crises. But the threat they consti-

West can profit from this the Communist orbit. Here beginning of next month, the surely is another pertinent | War Office announced. his speech to American edi- to present "Houl for the Shore" ... "our security may be Scala theatre on May 1. lost, piece by piece, country . Many army teams took part by country without the in the competition simed at firing of a single missile or attraulating interest in the the crossing of a single theatre mong soldiers.—China

Veteran vehicles outing _

Brighton, Apr. 25. A 1914 gun tractor, a veteran fire ergine, a bus, a lorry and other vintage machines mingled -us he has in the past- with holiday crowds on the shortly before midnight. and be manipulated by his busy London to Brighton road. of the to members port Commission's museum at Fernand Gambiez, who had Clapham, London, to Brighton been held prisoner there by the where they paraded along the insurgents.

probably end event- scafront and held a coach in a 1930 fire engine. He said sion. it was hoped to make a commercial vehicles run an annual

event.-China Mail Special. has icing

Freetown, Apr. 25. The Duke of Kent's crimson aircraft of the Queen's Flight likely to continue its \$45 developed serious leing trouble, The Duke is here as the ment and this is a vacuum Queen's representative at in-

A reliable source here said World War II. that the trouble occurred when the plane was over Madrid on as something of the second leg of the journey, has not been very clever | The source said that had the about the way it has gone icing continued for another 10 about guaranteeing the minutes the plane would have The 25-year-old Duke attends a display of traditional

in the government. This makes final preparations for its sary, on show in

West End London, Apr. 25. The Brilish Army is to stage how manage to keep Laos a one-night comedy at a Lonfrom falling completely into don West End theatre at the

The winners of the first Army Drama Festival, No 4 Training Regiment, Royal Engineers, are tors quoted here yesterday by Jean McDonnell at the

Mail Special.

General Challe

The President has decreed that they shall be France for having put Frenchmen against Frenchmen. Informed sources in Paris said they would probably be

possibly for treason. The penalty for such a crime is death under the guillotine. Coming to climax Throughout the day signs had

going to be. The paratroopers pulled out ef the cities of Oran and Constantine during the morning. their places being taken by troops Icyal to General de Gaulle. As they did so word came from France that the Mediterranean Fleet had weighed anchor at its Toulon base and was steaming to an undisclosed destination-presumably Algeria. General de Gaulle, in an order of the day to troops of the French army everywhere,

revolt "by every means—including force of arms if neces-As night wore on Algiers on it. radio, still in insurgent hands, broadcast a call for all citizens of Alzlers to go to the Forum. Half an hour later the station's programme of martial music came to an abrupt helt.

ordered them to put down the

A pause There was a pause, then the The collapse of the, revolt | regular announcer took over ended four days of the greatest with the announcement tension France has known since the station was "resuming normal transmission."

police were guarding key points | At least seven persons were | dioxide, and to simulate body believed to have died in the heat,-UPI. possible landing in the home- revolt, although the exact total was not clear. The seven were believed to have been shot in clashes between paratroopers and troops loyal to General de cautions instituted Sunday night Gaulle when the insurgents first singed their coup last

Saturday.—UPI. ticket recovered

Birmingham, Apr. 24. A frantic search in a litter bin brought a woman racegoer a reward of nearly £500 here at the weekend. The woman had thrown away

win totalkator ticket on Sunburst Rose, a 20-1 chance, after the horse had finished second to the favourite. Avec la Table. But after an objection, the race was awarded to Sunburst

He said he was relierating a woman eventually did statement to this effect made by Commander Alian Noble,

Foreign Office, in the United Nations on November 26, 1957. said tonight Britain recognises | The spokesman was commenting on press reports from Washington quoting Dr Subandrio, Indonesian

> his government demanded the Dutch should surrender

New York, Apr. 25.

The stock market scored a big advance today which recovered much of yesterday's sharp loss. Trading was active.

The market was slightly high- | Johns-Manville Co. er and active at the opening Kalser Industries

At the close, the market had months and recouped Mesch Iron Corp. made its best advance in about nearly two-thirds of yesterday's Monsanto Chemical Co.

Most gains ranged from a National Biscuit Co. few cents to around \$3 a share, National Dairy Prod. but there were wider moves among more volatile issues.

losses,

Standard and Poor's 500 , took Northwest Airlines (Com.) .. gained 90 cents at \$65.30, its best advance since it rose by the same amount on September 30, 1960. Monday the index fell a record-equalling \$1.37, Based on the index, the quoted value of all stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange gained above \$5,000 million today,

TENSIONS DISCOUNTED

Of 1,288 issues traded, 784 advanced, 346 declined and 158 closed unchanged. There were 37 new highs for the year and 14 new lows.

It was a broad advance which included steels, cars, petroleums, chemicals, drugs, aircraftmissiles, electronics and utilities.

average rose 2.60 to 242.20. Volume rose to 4,670,000 shares traded on Monday.

Analysts sald Wall Street. these tensions today. The sharp up since then, prices attractive to investors.

rese 10.43 to 663.09.-AP.

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With the Germans, Italians,

-(London Express Service).

French and Japanese all join-

scrip issue

London, Apr. 25.

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issue of one new £1 share

for every three held on

At the same time, it is pro-

posing to make a rights issue of

one new £1 share for every

May 1, 1961. Shares under the

rights issue will be offered at a

premium of £2 per share --

that is, at a total price of £3

All new shares will rank pari

but will not rank for the interim

The Bank added that this

was needed to finance the con-

tinuing expansion of the Bank's

year ending June 30, 1961.

three held by shareholders on

May 1, 1961.

per share.

EXPORT DRIVE

By Alexander Thomson

New York, (By Airmail). The Associated Press 60-stock This is where I came in four weeks ago. It is from here that verage rose 2.60 to 242.20. This is where I came in four weeks ago. It is from here that I reported "the American recession is now virtually over." shares compared with 4,590,000 A prominent banker, puffing at a Sherlock Holmes style pipe, said so to me on my second day on Wall Street.

drop also made many stock Motorcar output, steel orders of heavy overseas spending on a boost. To speed the ball pricts attractive to investors. a distinct upturn in the past | Apart from 1957, there has recovery. The Dow Jones 30 industrials month. And Wall Street has been a gap in its international test 10.43 to 663.00.—AP. Leen up to a fresh high, signal- payments every year since 1949. ling its belief that a new boom is blooming with the spring.

The confidence factor is always a big one in the United

Americans are Wall Street minded. Even boot-blacks and taxi-drivers talk about the tempo of the ticker-tape. So you can expect the market's recent performance to give the economy a good old shove from If it does not, then I believe this must be made to happen.

Paris Bourse

recovers

Paris, Apr. 25 The Paris Bourse (stock exchange) today strongly considerably improved. recovered from yesterdays caused by the military coup in Algiers.

The rise was apparently caused by latest reports from Algeria 301 that numerous military units were remaining loyal to the Paris government, and by the wide support from foreign governments for General Charles de Gnulle's policies.

Todays rise compensated for from about one quarter to about half of the heavy losses registered yesterday. The rise caused a reaction in the gold market, and the gold ingot fell from 5,750 to 5,630 francs a kllo,--AFP,

UNIT TRUSTS

First Hongkong Fund, Second Hongkong Fund: 30% cents (buyer), \$1 (seller).

which reacted strongly to the "A simple deduction my dear | And for two very good reasons. Industries will have to be international tensions over Thomson," I can now almost ONE—For the first time, the encouraged to re-equip with the Algeria, Laos and Cuba yester- hear him saying supported by U.S.A. is aware that it is up latest, and best, in productive day, appeared to be discounting. the evidence that has been piling against a considerable balance machinery. This in itself should of payments problem as a result tend to give American business

Over this 11-year period, the total net deficit amounted to a hefty \$21,000 million, or £7,500 million.

SHORTAGE

At first, these deficits were welcomed as a means of over- will. coming a world shortage of But I have this warning for dollars. But last year, the British manufacturers. Stand climate of opinion changed.
There were misgivings about the financial future of the own. United States. The soundness of the dollar was questioned.

It is vital, therefore, that ing in as well, overseas selling the balance - of payments is going to be tougher than ever. shortfall should be quickly, and substantially, reduced. TWO-America's labour force has been expanding fast be-cause of the "population explo-sion" that followed the war. The increase is likely to be even more marked in the next few years, as more young people teach wage-earning age So it is also essential that job opportunities should be

In a sense both these severe drop in share value problems are related. The one has a very close bearing upon

In Britain, balance of payments difficulties have been tackled in the past by credit squeezes and the like. But here in the U.S.A. unemployment is already high. At the last count, 6.8 per cent of all workers were jobless.

COMPETITION

America's overseas payments conundrum should be eased by any form of squeeze on the passu with existing £1 shares, demestic market which would put still more people out of dividend in respect of the half

where Wall Street becomes addition to its cash resources interested — is to secure an expansion in business at home

This way both problems can | Special. dividend: \$1.30 (buyer), \$1.38 he solved. But it will call for an all-out drive 96 greater productivity to keep costs stable—and competitive.

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Business done at the Hongkong Stock Exchange this 4316 morning amounted to approximately \$3,500,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transac-

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> Exchange rates Business was done in the local unofficial exchange market this morning at the following rates:-

Australian notes (per £1) .. 12.73

Indonesian Rupiah (per 100).. 3.10

Sinm tleals (per 100) 26.70 Singapore (Straits) 1.81

Maximum business generally.-China Mail selling 802.

Spot 22934 3-month 23115

rates

COMMODIALES

LONDON CLOSES MIXED

London, Apr. 25. Stocks staged a show of resilienco today in face of the French crisis Wall Street's tumble.

Prices opened sharply lower but bargain hunters started buying at the lower level and, following yesterday's pattern, erased the worst of the falls.

gains on the day but fractional losses finally dominated the list. Stendy investment demand despite international tensions caused dealers to term sentiment "shock proof."

Many issues, managed small

Banks were the standout and sky rocketed after the Midland Bank-one of the "Blg Five"announced a bonus issue. Midland jumped 10 shillings to 124 shillings and top banks such as Barelays and Lloyds jumped up to 5 shillings each .-- UPI.

Closing prices

2%, Consolidated-£42-7/16. 3127. Conversion-£56-11/18. 3. Savings 1963/65—£91-29/32. 3. Savings 1960/70—£7914. 3. Savings 1963/75—£72-3/16. Oversens Bonds

Br. German (Dawer) - £941; Bir. Japanese, Amented-£ 12324. Banks & Insurances

Barclays Ord-91s. Chartered Bank-63). Guardian Assurance-1499. Hongkong Bank-£1812. Lloyda Bank—76s 6d. Lombard Banking Ord.—21s 6d. Prudential Assur. "A"—£24.

British Petroleum—54a. Burmah Oll—43a 3d. Shell Transport Ord—158a 9d. Royal Dutch—£ 15%. Ultramar Company—31s 6d.

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Rubbers & Teas Anrio Indonesian Plant .-- 4s Dd. Ceylon Tea Ord—30s. Imperial Tea Ord—15a Dd. Runia Lampur-Kenong—3a 1045d. Lambak Rubber-55s.

A loading plant which can fill a ship's hold with alumina at 600 tons an hour is nearing completion at Rotrieve, British Guiana.

Fabricated in England and shipped out for erection, the plant will speed the turn round of ships taking mined material to the rmelting plant at Arvida, Quebec, of the Aluminum Company of Canada,

The leader travels on rails, each track about 38 it. apast At the topmost structure is ,a gantry (or boom) which carries a telescopic chute and a retractable shuttle belt—the actual device which conveys the alumina and deposits it in the ship's hold. The top of the gantry is telescopic chute can extend to The ship is the second tanker 100 ft. The whole plant on it's to be owned by P.S.N.C.; their rail tracks can move 500 ft at first tanker, the William Wheel-

50 ft a minute. The plant was fabricated by the materials handling division of Babcock and Wilcox, Ltd., England. Bullt in sections and ship- Tankers Ltd. The new vessel ped out to Retrieve, it is expect- will be ready for delivery in ed to be in operation shortly. The June. plant can handle not only alumi-

na at a density of 50 lb per cubic foot, but bauxite itself, the raw, mined material. Power is supplied to the loader and conveyors via cable-reeling drums and the whole system is under the control of the loader operator. Flood lighting enables tanks—27 in all. The cargowork to preceed in all conditions. | ballast tanks are protected by Aluminium alloy sections have combined paint and sacrificial been used in the structure of bnode system and steelwork the loader which helps lighten has been pickled.

the load on the quay. The order for the plants was placed by the U.K. firm. Alcan Industries Ltd., for the Demerara Bauxite Co., Ltd., British Gulana, both subsidiaries of Aluminium Ltd., Montreal.

fighting vessel

of the features of Thames and the Thames of fresh water a day. River Decco Estuary. Radar type 215 has been fltted in Fireflair, a 66 ft. firefloat based near (Kent) Gravesend for fighting available fires in shipping on the river, as well as for riverside fires on both Kent and Essex shores.

This is the first time flair to answer emergency calls recreation room. more rapidly in all conditions of visibility, including derkness | George Peacock, Harland and and bad weather. The equipment is a special high definition undertake a scheme radar fitted in over 450 vessels modernisation of the Musgrave on the European inland water- yard where the vessel was way system and in the United States, Among other fire fight- tion of the yard which has ing vessels employing similar Decen radar are nine tenders of the New York are department, the last war, have been Inid Fireflair is tinanced jointly by local authorities—the Essex and Kent County Councils—as part of their fire cover responsibilities, and is manned by personnel of the Kent Fire

Brigader.-LPS. Airline hit by

Algerian crisis London, Apr. 25. The Algerian crisis has cost Air France, the Franch national airline, nearly company's president, said on arrival here tonight. situation would improve soon.

"We have no definite inof airports for night flights, but there is every indication that operational within a few days, he sald.

flights to Orly.—Router.

shipping firm

The oil tanker George Peacock, 28,300 tons deadweight, was launched rocently at the Bolfast yards of Harland, and Wolff Ltd. for the Pacific Steam Navigation Com-

The ship is the second tanker wright, 45,000 tons deadweight,

The George Peacock is single-serew motor vessel with engines aft. She is constructed on the combined transverse and longitudinal system of framing and has raked stem and cruiser

The main engine, by Harland and Wolff, is a seven cylinder single-neting, two-stroke opposed piston type to give 11,600 b.h.p. and to run on heavy grade fuels.

Modern equipment for efficient and rapid working is installed and includes turbine driven, single stage centrifugal pumps for dealing with the carge oil, steam driven winches, capstans and windlass.

The thip is equipped with A high definition Decca latest navigational aids inradar installation is one cluding true motion radar and a shallow draft indicator. In order to reduce the amount of latest fire fighting vessel fresh water to be carried there to come into service on is a fresh water generator the lower reaches of the capable of producing 24-tons The George Peacock will

carry a crew of \$1 and special attention has been paid to crew comfort. Apart from one double cabin for boys, each member of the crew has a single borth cabin; the master, chief officer, engineer each have accommodation consisting of a dayroom, bedroom and private toilet facilities. There are lounges and smokerooms for radar has been specified by a officers and crew and there is local fire service in the U.K. for projection equipment for showa vessel of this type. Radar ing films in the crew's mess information will enable Fire- and the officers and engineers

with the launching of the Wolff have stated they will built. Plans for the modernisabeen responsible for large chare of tonnage produced since but no details have yet been announced .-- LPS.

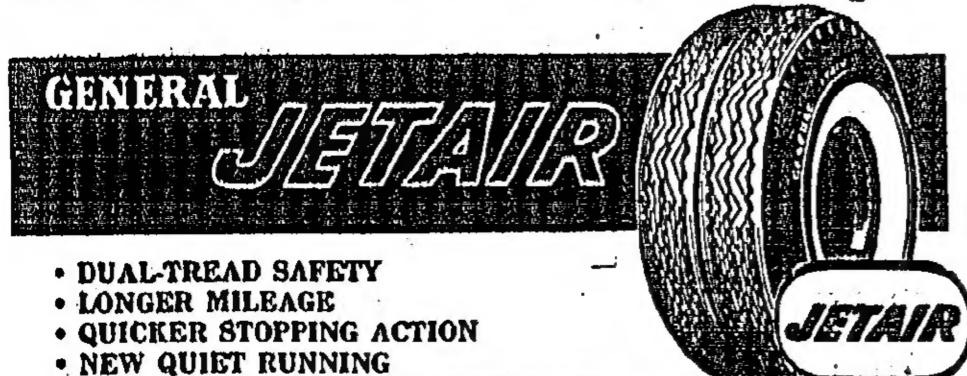
Cargo vessel launched

single-scraw general cargo vossel Dumurra was launched recently from the Glasgow yard of Alexander Stephen and Sons Ltd.

The vessel is the last of a class of six ships in the Elder £100,000 in concelled Dempster Lines' fleet, each of services over the fast three which bears a West African days, Mr Joseph Roos, the place name beginning with the letter 'D'. These vessels have been specially designed for their pervices from the United Mr Roos said he hoped the Kingdem, Continent, Canada and the U.S.A. to West African and other ports.

Dumurta la an open sheller deck vestel, powered by a 5,300 our services will be fully b.h.p. flye-cylinder Doxford opposed piston oil engine with a nervice speed of 14 knots when Tonight, Air France cancelled fully loaded. She has an overfive flights-three from Paris to all length of 460 feet, a breadth London and two returning of 63 feet and a drought of 20 fest 1 inch.—LPS.

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neutral Strongly 003 support Washington and Sukarno talks in Kennedy

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Washington, Apr. 25.
President Kennedy and President Sukarno of Indonesia said in a joint communique today they "strongly and unreservedly support the gonl of a neutral and independent Laos".

The communique was issued shortly after President Sukarno had paid a farewell call on Mr Kennedy at the White House this morning. The Indonesian leader arrived here yesterday for talks with the President and was flying today to Mexico City.

of a ton level econemic team

to assist Indonesia's eight-

4. The two presidents ex-

present gratification at the high

degree of co-operation be-

tween their countries, an

example of which was the

visit to Indonesia of the

5. Both agreed that the

Americans

and

Russians

celebrate

Two American ex-servicemen

and 11 Russians got to-

celebrate the 16th an-

niversary of the Soviet-

American link-up across

The two Americans, Joseph

DOWN

1 Food for Francis,

& Ringing sounds,

15 Opens and jumps,

2 Sugar-stick!

4 Withered,

3 Tied,

0 Hiver.

11 Study,

13 Eft,

16 Taut,

18 Flower,

19 Exposed,

21 Covering,

22 Cricket boob!

the Elbe River.

Torgau, Apr. 25.

hospital ship, the S.S. Hope,

year development plan.

The Indonesian leader spent 20 minutes with the President this morning. He arrived here yesterday for talks on Indonesio's dispute with the Netherlands over Dutch New Guinen (West Irion) and other prob-

Arm in arm

The two presidents walked together, ann in arm for part of the way, from Mr Kennedy's successful conclusion of office to the belieopter on the nuclear test ban treaty, while south lawn of the White House, not in itself a solution to the They held an earnest dis-uproblem of disamment, would cussion and, when Preddent be a first and most significant Sukarno had scated blmself step .-- Reuter.

the hellcopter, held another whispered conversation before the craft took off. The communique made no mention of the dispute between Indonesia and the Netherlands over Dutch-ruled West New Guin a which Indonesia claims under the name of West Irian. Dr Subandrio, the Indonesian Fereign Minister, said last night that the two president had held a lengthy discussion of the problem and that he was staying behind in Washington to discuss possible solutions to the dispute.

Comments

The communique made the following comments on issues other than Laos:

1. The two presidents welcomed the opporturally to their friendship and reaffirm the spirit of en-operation and confidence between their countries.

welcomed the Polowsky of Chicago, and newly-found freedom of emerg- Leroy Hamlin, a Red Indian shop. ing countries in Asia and Iron Colorado, were both Seven other prisoners.

Africa. Agreed that their members of the patrol which caused damage had been regenuine aspirations could be took part in the link-up here manded for interview by a fulfilled through mutual co-in 1945, but none of the Russian committee which visits prison.

Others had been punished by youth who shot Von Rath. the United Nations, and recognised that they must be alert to any attempts to subvert the Soviet war memorial here,

fered to provide the services |,-Reuter.

A British Crossword Puzzle

against Cuba

U.S. embargo

Washington, Apr. 25.
The White House said today the United States was considering a total trade embargo against Cuba but no decision had been reached.-Reuter.

DISCIPLINE BRITISH PRISONS REVIEWED

London, Apr. 25. Discipline in British prisons Rath. is being reviewed by the Home Secretary. R. A. Butler, and the Prison Commissioners following disturbances several prisons.

Mr Butler told questioners in the House of Commons that the "whole question of discipline" was under review.

He had been asked for a statement about trouble at Walton Prison, Liverpool, where savan prisoners picked up chairs in a workshop and broke windows.

Other prisoners downed tools and 240 men sat down in the exercise yard until ordered to return to prison.

This followed trouble 3 Maidstone, Shrewabury, Wandsworth and Lincoln prisons.

Some of the protests have been against the quality of the gether here today to lead and over-crowding. In many prisons, men sleep

> j three in a cell. Mr Butler said the police sat impassively, between his were preferring charges against two brawny police guards. He

the governor.

After speeches of goodwill at their cherished freedom by the Russians-one ex-service- asked Mr Butler if the distur- Paris, after the rest of the means of imperialism "in all its man and 10 soldiers—went with bances at Walton and other family had been deported to nifestations."

The Americans to a reception prisons did not indicate some- Poland by SS men who whipgiven by the local town council. Thing seriously wrong with ped them and ordered them to staffing and ecuditions.

think there was anything fundamentally wrong with in its third week, resumed tostaffing, which in most cases was all right. What was wrong was overcrowding.

He was looking into the whole position. — China Mail

FLOODS REPORTED AROUND CANTON

Peking, Apr. 25. Heavy rains are causing floods in the south Chini provinces of Kivangtun; and Kwangsi, the People's Daily reported today.

numbers of people were being Affairs.)
mobilised for anti-flood work
along the Sikiang and Pelkinng
Rivers and their tributaries, the biol which form part of the Pearl River system flowing through

in Hunan Province, north of anything similar to the German Kwangtung, since the middle of people." April and flood control operations have started in the mann replied: "don't be sen-Chengsha area. Train and air services between

Peking and Canton were disrupted this week. The People's Dally reported drought was continuing along execute this order was in the middle and lower reaches of the Yellow River, in North Eichmann's hands, subject to Ch'na, where little rain has the approval of Heydrich...."

follon this spring. "According to incomplete statistics about three million the provinces of Shantung. newspaper reported.-Iteuter.

staell ambassador OT 10 one

Jerusalem, Apr. 25. Israel's present ambassador in Tokyo, Mr Kurt Levin, was named at the Adolf Eichmann trial here today as one of the victims of an anti-Jewish reign of terror in Germany that followed the "Crystal Night" in 1938—when Jewish property was attacked and smashed up.

Mr Levin was arrested by the Nazis after the "crystal night" attacks, Mr Benno Cohen, chairman of the Zionist Organisation in pre-war Berlin, told the court.

from the first-hand experience

Too near

Lindenstrauss, ex-Garman law-

Lindenstray's told of a trip

to Vienna, on orders of the

Gestapo, and of a meeting with

Eichmann in the Rothschild

Palace where he had his head-

quarters. The witness said he

did not know why he had been

summoned. After a night under

detention in a hotel, he said, he

was taken to Eichmann's office.

"In the courtyard, hundreds

of Jews were waiting in the

igin," Lindenstrauss said,

the same period.

The night of wholesale! They steed directly in front destruction was given its name of him, as they gave evidence, because of the number of show and only a few feet away. windows of Jewish stores in Eichmann stared at them Germany that were broken, through the glass walls of the following the assassination of prisoner's bex. The right-hand a counsellor at the German corner of his mouth twisted in-Embassy in Paris. Ernst Von to a grimace once or twice, but etherwise he showed no feeling

Mr Cohen said: "At six in the while they talked about him. morning I was told....a group! This was the first time the of people were smashing up jam-packed courtroom saw my office I found the whole picture of Eichmann, drawn place a shambles." He said he heard that a per- of men who had to deal with

sonal friend of his-Mr Kurt him. They said he shouted, Levin, today Israel's Ambassa- , hurled vulga: language at them, dor to Japan-had been arrested. and often threatened them with "I decided not to await no the concentration camps. similar fate and went into hiding." he added.

Official

Mr Cohen said that among those who helped the German was standing too near. Jews during the Nazi era "one man stood out above all othors"-the (unnamed) passport official at the British consulate in Berlin.

This Briton "rescued thousands of Jews from the jaws of death" during the reign of terror. He enabled large numbers of Jews to emigrate to Palestine, said Mr Cohen.

Eichmann, 55-year-old former SS colonel, who is accused of mass murder of Jews. took occassional notes as he one prisoner at Walton following has pleaded not guilty to the a small fire in the carpenter's charges.

Whipped

He said he wrote to his son, Mr Eric Fletcher (Labour) Herschel, who was living in run as they crossed the border Mr Butler said he did not a few days before the shooting.

When the trial, which is now day the judges agreed to hear an affidavit made by SS Major Dieter Wisliceny, a few months before he was executed in Czechoslovakia in 1946 for war The affidavit, which was read-

by Mr Gideon Hausner, Israeli Attorney General, sald Wishceny and Eichmann had been on close terms and in 1942 Eichmann showed him a letter from Heinrich Himmler, the supreme security and police chief.

Annihilation This said "the Fuehrer has

decided that the final solution of the Jewish question is to start immediately. I designate the chief of the security police (Reinhard Heydrich) and the inspector of the concentration camps as responsible for the execution of this order. . . . (The security and police organs under Heydrich included the Gestapo (secret police). Elchmann was head of the Ges-The newspaper said large tapo Department of Jewish

"Eichmann then told. me that the 'final solution' means the blological annihilation of the Jewish people," Wisliceny's affidavit continued. "I said . . . 'may God forbid Heavy rain has also fallen that our Jews should ever do

> timental — this is an order of ; the Fuchrer." Mr Housner said the amdovit declared that the order was "n death warrant for millions of people, - and the power to

Wislicency stated that Elch-

Terrifying Two witnesses, who met Adolf Elchmann when he was a rising star in the Clealage, faced him in court today stid described him as terrify.

ing figure even in 1938.

They were afraid of every move they made," He did not say what these people were waiting for. Howthousands of Jews in Austria and Germany were

QUEEN VISIT SARDINIA

trying to emigrate, and they

needed certificates to go to

Palestine.—Reuter & AP.

London, Apr. 25. The Queen and the Duke of And one said Elchmann cold- Edinburgh will fly to Sardinla ly ordered him to move several on Saturday on their way to yards, away from the desk their state visit to Rome in a where he was sitting-that he Comet IV of British European Airways.

The witnesses were Dr Benno | The Queen Mother returns to Cohen, former official of the Britain from Decimomannu in Jewish Community in Berlin in the same aircraft after her visit the 1930's, and Aaron Walter to Tunisia. The Queen's flight back to yer who was directing Jewish London from Turin on May 9 immigration to Palestine during will also be made in a Comet.-

Blacklisted

Damascus, Apr. 25. The Arab League boycott of Israel Central Office announced on Tuesday, it had blacklisted the 7,250-ton US cargo ship 'Santa Venella' for violating Pan-Arab boycott regulations.

The Central Office statement "They stood, very straight, said the vessel will be banned like soldiers at attention. from all Arab ports .-- AP. --

Ceylon orders death penalty ooters

Colombo, Apr. 25. The Ceylon Government has ordered the death penalty for looters as it sought to crush a separatist movement by the Island's Tamil

minority. The new order, issued under a port demands that Tamil as well state of emergency proclaimed as Sinhalese be made an official last week, also decreed imprilations. onment for anyone caught setting up road blocks or damaging reported new incidents of vehicles in the Tamil-speaking arron and road blocking in the northern and eastern areas.

A communique on Tuesday

trouble zones where troops are trying to keep order. Two buses The Tamils, Hindus who were stoned in East Ceylon migrated to Buddhist Ceylon and mobs assaulted a truck from India, are waging a civil driver in the North. Eight disobedience campaign to sup- persons were arrested.—AP.



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1 Put a bob on? 4 No Sassenach.

ACROSS

7 Fisherman's dance? 8 Country, 9 Frost. 10 Naval bird?

12 Princess, 14 Gear for a boy? 16 Sum up,

17 Rolls of notes, 20 Works or plays, 23 Flddlerl 24 Bank clerk.

25 Accept, 26 Direction, 27 Frolicked.

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD -- Across: 1 Roses, 4 Sprik, 7 Bob, 9 Nimble, 11 Lido, 12 End, 13 Canteen, 15 Balcopy, 18 people are taking part in anti-Pot, 19 A-vow, 20 Proper, 23 Bin, 24 Swede, 25 Mewed: Down! drought work and irrigation in 1 Runner-beans, 2 Ebb, 3 Sol, 5 Raise, 6 Good-natured, 6 Beta, 10 Mad; 13 Coo, 14 Nay, 10 Loose, 17 Nips, 18 Pop, 21 Rim, 22 | Hopel, Shimsl and Shensl," the

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Damaged packages are to be left in the godown for examination by 19. Helper, (4) consignces' and the Company's Sur- 21 veyors, Mesars Wood & Browne at 10 a.m. on 28th April, 1961.

No Claims will be admitted after the goods have left the godown and all goods remaining undelivered after the 1st May, 1961 will be subject to rent.

All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 23rd May, 1961, or they may not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. MESSAGERIES MARITIMES Hongkong, 26th April, 1961,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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Peter Burgoyne's news from Britain

row

Perceptive foreigners often note that while Britain contents itself with a National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children it boasts at the same time a Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

grotesque travesties of pukka

hunting rig and carrying anti-

But the champions of this

ancient sport which has inspired

No difference

fact, a money-loser on

That is why the British

bringing in the money.

the ticketless traveller.

Commission boss paid up.

to pay up."

other." said the collector.

"But I'm Dr Beeching," said

But the collector had his

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tain, Europe (Letter Mail) Noon;

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duty to do. "I'm sorry sir, it

hunting slogans.

The inescapable inference is a that the British think more of delivery enquiries to the their animals than of their children. This, of course, is not

But there is no dodging the so much good-living and bad art fact that by and large the trotted out all the old arguments British are much more outward- which have stood them in good ly emotional about their dumb stend these many generations P4+4, *********************** friends than about their own hunting is no more cruel offspring: For instance, many than other methods of exterwomen who will send their minating foxes...possible less March started out on his exchildren to the rigours of beard- so ... it is an integral part of ing school life with a stiffer up- the British scene, and so on. perilp than they could show in When the votes came to be his father, a peasant, abandoning their pet dog to a counted it was found that not boarding-out kennel before enough of the members of the going on hollday.

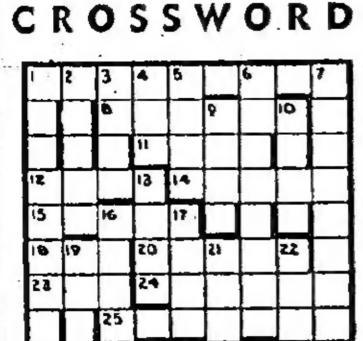
This goes a long way towards considerable energies to pre- he was the biggest operator on explaining why the RSPCA is venting cruelty to animals were the North Africa-Spain run and such an important and well- prepared to condemn fox hunt- was able to buy his own boats supported body in Britain. But this week the RSPCA And the world was left as In World War I he became the was riven by a row which made impstified as ever about how the richest man in Spain, selling oil the fort of headlines which-in British mind works. Britain anyway -- almost held

At a special meeting in fronted by a demand from a section of its members to cendemn fox hunting.

their own with Castro and the

In almost any other country in the world the result of this | the grand scale. PERSIAN RUGS are not a luxury might seem a feregone conbut an investment, the other the clusion. But not in Britain Transport Commission thought · Co. 229 Mirador Mansion, Kowloon, where people, capable of al- ill worthwhile to hire an ICI MACKINLAY'S SCOTCH WHISKY most maudling emotion over director, Dr Richard Becching, readily available. Phone 31558 animals can still tog themselves as Commission chairman at the (Richard Ilua & Co.) for prompt out in the costume of a century astronomic (for Britain) salary delivery. The 'Five Generations' ago and with horse and hounds of £24,000 a year. pursue wretched foxes to their

Those who attacked foxhunting did so hotly and cloquently, and Society members arriving to vote on the Issue had to pass pickets, wearing



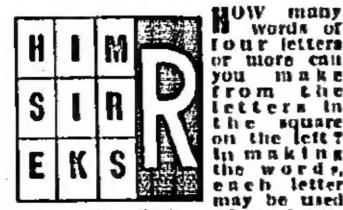
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Born on the Balearic Island of . Majorca about 90 years ago, traordinary career with only £100 in his pocket—left him by

He used it to set himself up Royal Society which devotes its a tobacco smuggler. Such

to the Germans, food to the

Money made maney. Either directly or through inter-London it found itself con- British Railways is not a mediaries, March came to conmoney-making concern. trol a bank, chemical companies, British Railways is, in a brewery and steel plants.

Royal living

He backed Franco in the Spanish Civil War, using his rersonal fortune to buy arms from Germany and Italy.

Said March in one revealing This week Dr Beeching dis- moment: "I'm so rich that covered he was not the only don't even know how rich rallwayman concerned about am."

Twice-married March (two of the Cherry Blossom, Travelling from his East sons) now lives in royal style, had to tell a ticket collector that with houses in Geneva, Madrid their tummies, in the morning eggs sandwich" deal. In cerhe had left his travel pass at and Wajorca, lavishly staffed with several glasses of hot milk. tain joints, bacon and eggs is blue uniforms. "Then you'll have to buy an-

in case there is a revolution and However, this was apparently wich which is not reckoned as March has to abdicate. doesn't make any difference who

you are. I'm afraid you'll have about March. He is so publicityshy that, but for the various

Settlement near

One such lawsuit has been & Sunday) (Letter Mail) 7 am: Saturday (Letter Mail) 7 am: Relgium's giant Sofina power get half portions of sandwiches.

6 pm (Parcel Mail) Noon, 3 pm. 5 pm; Saturday (Letter Mail) 1 pm & in legal fees, it looks like being be served. The lot or nothing. u pin; (Porcel Mail) noon & 5 in legal lees, it looks like being pin; Sunday (Letter Mail) 1 pm & finally settled out of court because Franco wants to maintain inability to arrive at a correct the good relationship with Bel- price for half a portion-probgium which resulted from the ably with thinking based on the Baudouin-Fabiola wedding.

March is likely to agree to Philippines (Letter Mail) 2 pm Franco's request to settle the New | suit—partly because he considers Gemea, Australia, New Zealand, it has dragged on long enough.

Fill (Letter Mail) 3 pm (Parcel Mail) 3 pm (Parcel and partly because he, too, is Hawali, anxious that Spain snould be USA, N. C. & S. America (Letter on good terms with other coun-Mail) 3 pm (Parcel Mail) 2 pm; tries of Europe.

cel Milli I pm; Korea (Letter Mail) March empire. At 90 no one Jem (Porcel Mail) 2 pm; Indonesia wants to be a fugitive in a gun- determine for himself how much



Hongkong couple has just wound up a brief sojourn in Japan—mostly cowering in bars and night clubs to avoid the shocking traffic.

During this brief brush with 1 Well, a few days in France or the latter-day Samurai, they Belgium-or for that matter, the strange ways of life in the Land a lesson on this subject.

Such are the brief known facts bout March. He is so publicities. Cold milk could be served in a jub-but not het milk. The formula for serving hot milk had been laid down "in

has been involved, even those details would probably not have been revealed.

Indicate the state of the state the crazy whims of a couple of that his legs were cramped from itinerant palefaces.

Both were fond of midday going on for the past 13 years, snacks, but nowhere could they syndicate is suing for around £5 For instance, they'd ask for half million, following March's ac- a portion of ham and half a MACAO: Dally (except: Saturday Quisition of its Spanish interests. portion of cheese "sando"—but & Sunday) (Letter Mail) 1 pm, 4 pm. After costing some £1 million | denials that such could possibly This was tracked down to an premise of someday being requested to serve half an apple or a quarter of an egg.

husband, strangely enough, objected to the alleged "no tipping system" by which 10 per cent "service charge" is added to the bill.

Cranda (Letter Mail) 2 pm (Par-lity and the perpetuation of the of this levy, but just didn't like in the lity and the perpetuation of the lity and like in the idea of not being able to and not retaliate.

scarned quite a bit about the Old Dart-will provide him with They also experienced the "no The twaln put a lining on bacon and eggs-only bacon and with servants dressed in royal However, in the plush, swank, considered a "breakfast course" luxurious hotel in which they and will not be served after 10 flopped, they tried to get the am. However, at one minute - Moored in a Spanish port is milk served in a large jug to past ten, it is quite in order to an armed gelaway vessel--just keep it warm in between swigs, ask for a bacon and egg sand-

agin the rules, or something, a breakfast dish.

Tactics

For the benefit of wayward squatting on the floor-and the only possible cure was a massage-by one of the local beau-

ties of course. I was quite surprised she tumbled for this lot-but maybe she never read the ads in the Japanese papers explaining the "cure" for weary males.

If a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual restore such an one in the spirit of meekness .-Galatians 6:1.

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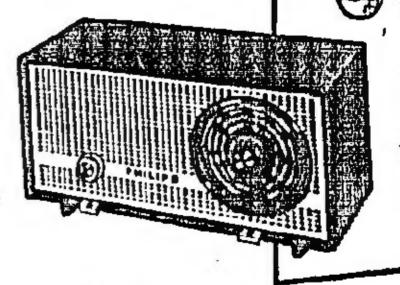
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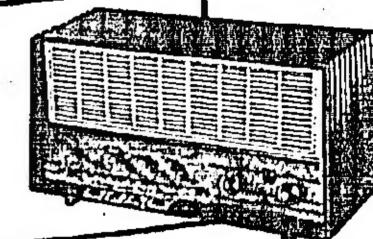


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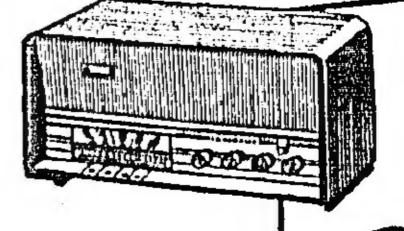
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CARLTON: Ben Conti and His (repeat); 9.15, Life with the Combo, featuring the versatile Lyons; 9.45, Dickie Valentine; 9.58, PRINCESS GARDEN: The Balla- News about Britain; 10.15, Music dines, dance due from U.S.A. and Tony Scott. BUN VA: Avia, belly dancer and 11.15, Racing - Two Thousand Wasta and Rena Dahl.

Guineas; 11.25, Chamber Music Reci-Wasta and Rena Dahl.

METROPOLITAN: Vocalist Miss inl; 11.57, Weather; 11.59, News inl; Wong and the Metropolitan Headlines; Midnight, Time Signal, TORYO CAN CAN Girls; Duo Alexander; and Ayla, belly dancer.

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Sing it Again (Repeat): 1, Diary: 1.15, News and Weather: 1.30, Itay's A Laugh (Repeat); 2, Melody Time; 4.15, Ten Dance; 4.45, Operation Moon Satellite; 5, Chil-

dren's Corner - presented by Auntie Mary: 5,30, Bek Kong Requests - presented by Barry Haigh: 5, Anything Goes — With Mike Fliery: 7, Hit Parade; 7,30, Bing along with Un; 7,45, You Said Noon. Lunchtime Rendezvous; News; 0.00, Weather; 8.10, Announce-News and Weather: ments and Interlude: 8.13, Music In

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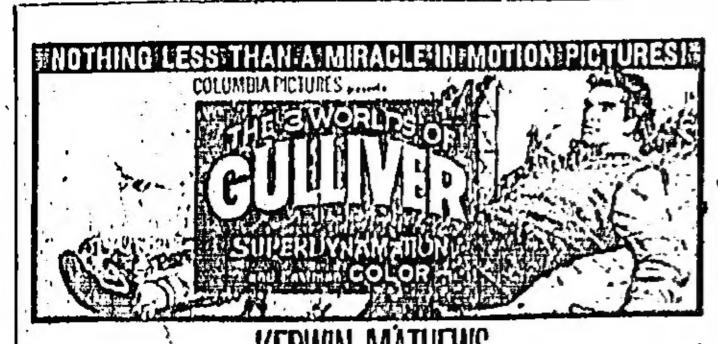
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Dancer with Tambourine.

terminal opened

Milford Haven, Apr. 25. When Mr Richard Wood, very fine examples of the Minister of Power, opened the British Petroleum present is poorly represented in Company's new acean try. terminal near here, he one of the few installations in the world cop- towards the cost." able of handling 100,-000-ton tankers.

At a luncheon later, Mr Wood said the new terminal was of "immense significance" for the

He predicted that if the British oil industry followed the trend for the Free World as a whole, British refineries should double their output by the early

Mr M. R. Bridgeman, BP's chairman, said the company aimed at using tankers of 50,000 and 67,000 tons, but if the Sucz were deepened "we be able to raise our sights a bit and build tankers of 70,000 tons or more." The £6,500,000 terminal com-

prises a coastal strip of 140 The oil is pumped from the two mooring berths into storage tanks, and then it flows 60 miles

line to a refinery near Swansea, contributed only something like -China Mail Special. Sydney, Apr. 25.

American Negro singer Billy Daniels collapsed shortly before , he was due to appear in a night

club here today. His agent said he had received unlikely that they would have designed blood transfusions for a per- fetched anything like that price Reute. forated duodenal uleer and that at a sale," his condition was serious .-- It is generally agreed that Reuter.

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"WHERE THE DOYS ARE"

are shocked

London, Apr. 25. The British Government is to give £163,500 (HK\$2.6 million) to help the National Gallery in London buy a pair of pictures by the French painter, Renoir.

Danseuse au Tambourin" and 1900 he became increasingly "La Danseuse aux Castagnettes." crippled with arthritis and painted painfully with brushes the tambourine was a hair- strapped to his wrists. He died dresser's assistant Georgette in 1919 when he was 78. Pigeant, who is still alive. When M Gangnat saw her from M. Philippe Gangnat, of some time ago she recalled Paris, son of M. Maurice Ganggoing with Renoir to buy the nat, who commissioned them, blue slippers which she wears

in the painting. For the portrait of the other tall canvasses, a little over five dancer there were two models: feet high by about two feet for the head, an Italian called wide. They were considered Maria, and for the body, a girl to be an effective composition called Gabrielle, who was both Renoir's servant and his favourite model in his later years.

Very fine Mr Selwyn Lloyd, Chancellor

of the Exchequer, told the House of Commons: "These pictures, which were painted in 1909 by Renoir his friend Maurice Gangnat, are tist's later period, which

"In view of the exceptional mirror between.-China Mail brought into operation importance of this acquisition have decided to make a special Exchequer grant of £163,500

public collections in this coun-

He did not say what the total cost of the pictures was. Six figures

A National Gallery spokesman IIIO said later he could not give any idea of the cost of the paintings except that it did not exceed six

The balance of the purchase price is being met from National Gallery funds, but considerable astonishment was expressed in London art circles at the magnitude of the price for Renoir paintings of this period.

The previous highest price paid in Britain for a Renolr was £72,000 for his "La Pensee" at the Goldschmidt cale in 1958. It is now cwned by property magnate Mr Jack Cotton and hangs in his suite at the Dorchester Hotel.

Extraordinary

Sald one art expert: "Assumbloc's lack of sterling. through an underground pipe- ing that the National Gallery has £ 1,500 from its own funds, her allies. £ 165,000 is a staggering price Lord Eli to pay for two late Renoirs. I'm

Commented another expert: "I think it's an extraordinary price to pay. It is highly

painted his best

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when hung side by side. Each picture is signed and dated The two pictures were commissioned by the late owner's father, M. Maurice Gangnat, who was probably the most ardent of all collectors of

London, Apr. 25. summer of 1909 to hang in his A man and a woman, claiming to be "the voice of nuclear disarmament", were heard for some minutes on the BBC television sound wavelength after the programmes had closed down.

> The broadcast was heard against a background of crackling noises.

The woman said, "On Apr!! 29, Parllament Square will be occupied by demonstrators sitting in the road, protesting in a manner which cannot be ignored, against nuclear weapons of mass destruction."

The man said, "We in the protest understand the simple truth Undersecretary, said to- -there is no real defence. What day that British trade is said about civil defence is a with the Sino-Soviet bloc cruel lie. It is a hoax intended was not appreciably im- to get you to die quietly." Mr Michael Randle, secretary peded by items of strategic of the "Committee of 100", an significance on the em- anti-H-bomb group, said that

afili-nuclear operators had se-The chief reason was the northwest of London to publiclse their cause on the BBC The list was kept constantly frequency after the BBC transunder review by Britain and mitter elesed down. They would limit their time

Lord Elibank, a Liberal peer, on the air to about five minutes had suggested in the House of to baffle monitoring systems. A BBC spokesman com-Lords that the embargoed list A BBC spokesman com-should be abolished apart from mented: "If these people are arms, munition, military equip-ment and machinery especially then it is a matter for the Post designed for their production.- Office."-China Mail Special.

Canadian appointed 'Queen's scientist'

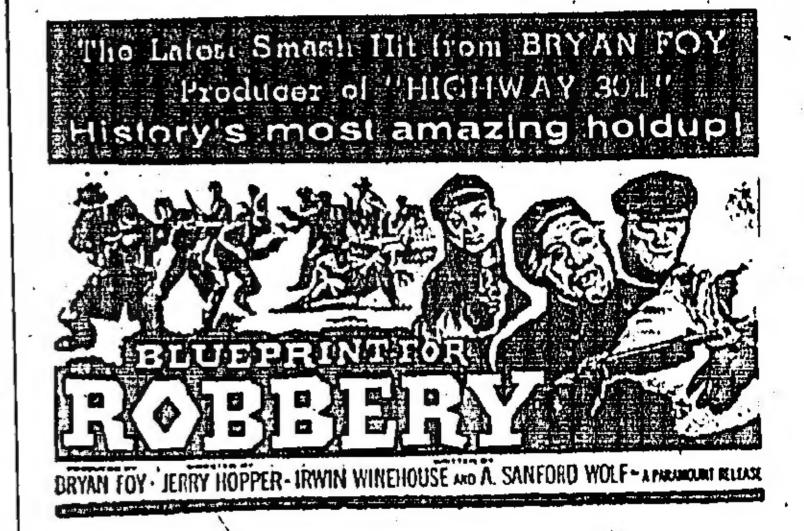
Ottawa, Apr. 25. Dr Michael W. Partington, 34-year-old research fellow at wealth" as the theme for Toronto's Hospital for slek children, has been named the first "Queen Elizabeth II scien-The council's development committee said loday it has tabled a specialised paper dealing with the pressing question of insurance for private intist," It was announced today. Partington will take up his new post on July 1 at the medical department of Queen's Uni-Kingston, Ontario where a permanent research unit will be established to work on problems such as mental deficiency and epilepsy

The appointment was made by the board of trustees of the Queen Elizabeth II Fund to aid A paper urging a "Colombo Plan," approach to the econo-mle problems of Africa has also research on the diseases of children. The \$1 million fund was set up by the Federal Govimment two years ago to mark the Queen's cross-Canada tour.

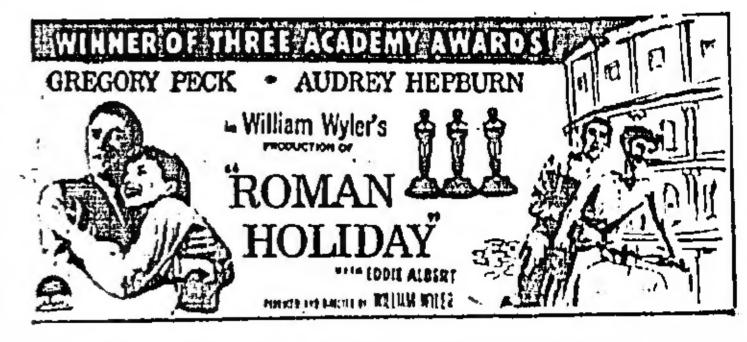
Rome, Apr. 25. Gina Lollobrigida flew into Rome today holding hands with her husband and smilling approvingly as he again denied, any rift in their marriage, "I hope our being together like this is sufficient denial to the reports," said Mike Skofic,

the film star's Yugoslay-born incloudd. The two arrived from

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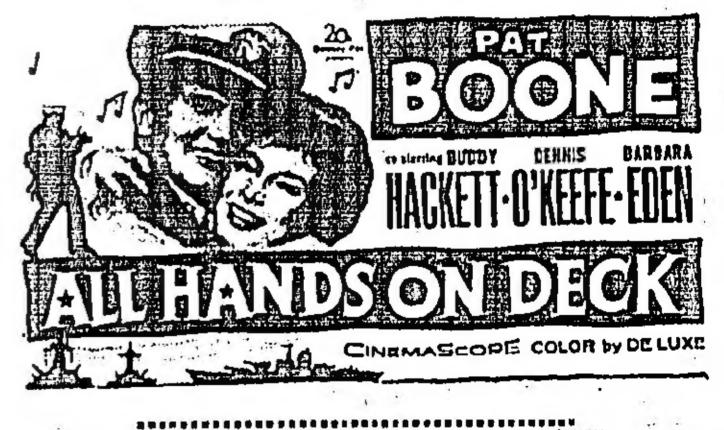


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THE AMERICANS COULD BE FIRST By CHAPMAN PINCHER

COMPLETE reappraisal of America's flagging rocket programme has been touched off by Russia's resounding win in the race into space.

From now on the accent will ---be on some means of leapfrogging over the Russlans Intoa venture with which the Americans can recoup their reputation and morale by securing missile which thrust Gagarin the moon flight, though ima commanding space "first."

The next cosmic breakthrough to eatch the imagination of the world will be the first "soft" landing on the moon, which, according to the Russian programme, will be accomplished by unmanned

robot rockets. For this venture the Russians have released details of their objectives. They plan to softland a big rocket out of which will crawl Wellsian "tankettes" - caterpillar - tracked robots capable of reconnolling the cratered lunar landscape.

Close-ups

Goggling TV eyes will tran- the war. Though pilots were political leaders are harnessing smit to Russia close-up details clamouring to attack the up- space achievements to their obof the moon. Instruments will known hazards of the sound jective of imposing their way relay the first reliable infor- barrier, chairborne advisers of life on the world. mation about the lunar climate, ruled that it was so dangerous From this information the that attempts should first be aims by military threat, the Russians intend to build up to restricted to robots. a manned moon landing as they built up data from robot satellites for Yuri Gagarin's historic flight into orbit.

further success. Where then let's-try-it pilots.

"When did you first think you could

save France, Mrs. Perks? "

German rocket scientist, is Russians, who found the return already for advanced with a from orbit for easier than colossal rocket, the Saturn, with anticipated. far greater power than the I suspect that the hazards of

The first 520-ton model is to have been exaggerated. scheduled to be ready to put a three years' time. The bigger second version, about 700 tons, will need a service gantry almost as high as the Kromlin's far

320ff. bell-tower. It could but a three-man space station round the meon dangerously wrong. from which repeated landings could be made. The U.S. authorities may

decide to cut out any robot

moon flights and aim straight at a manned landing.

There can be little doubt that To their everlasting glory, the The feats of the Yuri the Russians have so much lead Americans took the more Gagarins hide the grim rigours that they will noteh up this courageous line and backed the of a dictatorial system which

can the West overtake them? Result-they sailed through liberty would find intolerable, I suggest that the Americans, the exaggerated terrors of the perhaps with. Britain's help sound barrier and left British spectacular propaganda for could beat the Russians to the fighter designers so far behind Communism will be a cosmic feat which will count most of they have never caught up. all in the annals of space his- In splite of this lesson the West can do better. tory-the landing of the first Americans seem to have fallen. The only foreseeable hope lies

mensely formidable, will prove

Some British and U.S. ton payload on the moon in scientists are claiming that prestige in space does not really count and that technical results from unmanned satellites are more important than manned stunts.

-1 say they are hopelessly and

Hidden . . .

The U.S. and British tax-In suggesting this I have in payers are not financing rocketmind the estastrophic error work so that scientists can which the British Government have a technical jamborce. The made on flighter research after barsh facts are that the Russian

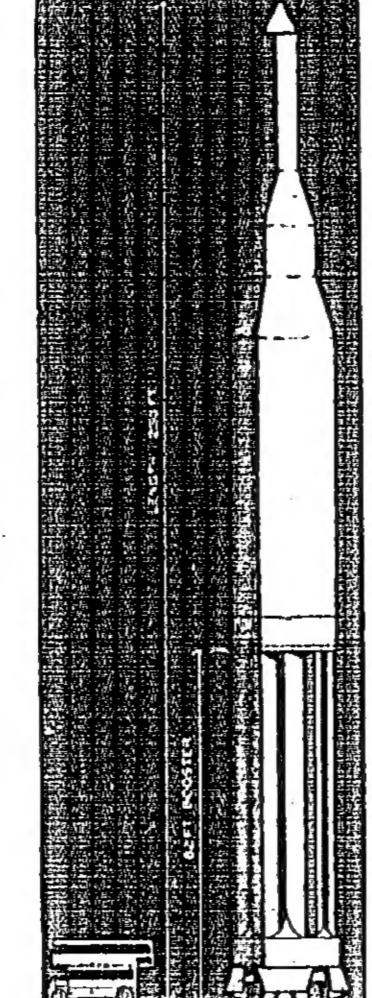
Baulked of achieving their Kremlin leaders see the dazzling exploits of the Soviet missile men as a way of showing the rest of the world that their way of life pays dividends.

those of us acclimatised to The only check to this demonstration that the free

into the same trap with their in leap-frogging the Russians An American team led by astronauts. They have played on to the moon with the Saturn Werner von Braun, the ex- the venture safer than the rocket, which must be given the

"Surely you could have found SOMEBODY to milk

Ermintrude wille we were on our honeymoon! "



NEXT to a London bus: America's Saturn rocket

utmost priority even at the expense of the penny-packet shots which reap satellile negligible prestige. -(London Express Service).

THE little woman in

moved her spectacles and

looked a little nervous

Phrenological Delineation. Or,

as the layman might say, to

British Phrenological Society,

have her hend read.

what, one can say. . . .'

gers.

the red coat re-

had volunteered for

Mr Reddrop, a Fellow of the And mine too.



"HI FELLAS-WHAT'S NEW?"

Manne Chamel's favourite decides

year-old Marie-Helene tractive asset. Arnaud is to marry, The man she is to marry is the remarkably talented 34-

helpful, but firm.

skull with clinical fin- right, actually. There was ap-

pointed out: "There are several Reddrop to study my cranial

new faces here tonight, and a conformation (he dislikes the

public reading is always awk- word "bumps"). The two dozen

ward. One is handicapped in London members in the hall were

His rending showed that the Miss W. M. Morgan, the society's

lady was very sensitive, but not president and skull class tutor.

and probed her She said yes, that was about church sidesmen.

Phrenological Society meeting.

But there wasn't time for Mr

waiting to hear a lecture by

THE news as yet un- and the fashion house announced that 28- of Chanel of its most at-

will rob Paris of a seem- year-old actor and film director Robert Hossein, the former husingly confirmed spinster band of film star Marina Vlady.

courtesy of his introductory re-

veteran Baptist minister.

Marie-Helene Arnaud occuples a unique position in the approached de Gaulle at a diplo-Paris foshion world. She is both matte reception—the only opa model and the coolly efficient portunity he has so far been manager of the Chanel establish- given to talk to him-and

All the Chanel models are Paris on the fate of Spanish first tried on her and the entire Chanel collection is in effect

as Mr Reddrop put a the type to show it; self-critical Two other officers who wel-In any case the prospective tape measure round her and cautious; understanding, comed newcomers and took the bridegroom had to undergo the silver collection looked typical somewhat considerable ordeal being presented to Mile

Miss Morgan, middle-aged with a kind, delicately-boned Sunday - school teacher's face, planed five major sections of a skull-cut-out pieces of cloth on a blackboard:-

INTELLECT in the front por tion of the brain. salons to dine with her. MORALS in the top middl

SELF-REGARD in the top DOMESTIC and SOCIAL SENSES just below that, and PROPENSITIES in the region

round the ear. There were many other cerebral sub-divisions, she explain-

But, briefly, the shape of the skull indicated the development or non-development of various parts and faculties of the brain. Parents whose children had high-crowned lieads showing over-assertiveness should try to encouraging good manners, gratitude, and understanding of life. other people's feelings.

TAKE NOTE

the Domestic and Social area at tively, enigmatic nir. the base of the skull, which showed Philoprogenitiveness. to sleep. Miss Morgan said: "It too anxious to help her fulfil. Isn't possible to alter the size or shape of a brain centre, but you can learn to activate the under- DE GAULLE used areas and modify the over-

dominant ones." Tenchers should take note of heads, and so should employers. For instance, a farm worker needed a good back-head for domestic instincts and care of livestock.

SENSITIVE

What was so lucky about the distributed some pamphlets state of General de Gaullo's amount to reimburse Mile hand? I made my bid! West about cruelty to broller calves, relations with General Bourdin, opened the king of diamonds. Mr Reddrop said the May lee-I ruffed with dummy's eight; ture would be "The Effect of Franco. finessed my six spot. Then I The secretary, Miss Hedderley, riffed a second diamond, with told me: "I'm sure you won't General Franco has tried hard my nine of spades. Ruffed my "Your broad forehead and out any success. last diamond with dummy's wide Perceptive Area shows you queen of trumps. Came back are too sensitive to do that."

to my hand with the ace of I blushed sensitively, wonder- trom Washington to Paris in the clubs. Draw. East's last two cd if she just meant I had a big from Washington to Puris in the trumps and discarded my too- head, and made an appointment hope that this exceptionally

built around her.

AN ORDEAL

TATLLE. COCO CHANEL, IVI now approaching 80, is devoted to hor and her will is made out in her The grey-haired, finely skull- favour. Whether her mored chairman, Mr J. W. Marshall, riage and the consequent stood at what looked very like departure from the house will change that, remains Journey when it was time for marks resembled that of a to be seen.

> This occurred in considerable secreey after working hours when the rest of the staff had left and he was spirited up to a top floor flat above the Chanel

Her verdict on him unknown. Mile Arnaud is auburn-haired, allm and the very embodiment of Parisien chic,

She plays the part of a Paris career woman to perfection, wearing horn-rimmed glasses—the colour of the rims matches her hair-for what may be described as a de-glamourising affectation.

A long sought-after beauty, the has never been married becorrect this in its infancy by fore or even ever given the slightest indication of a private

Her icy reserve, broken only occasionally by a fleeting smile A good point to look for which she bestows on those who was a full rounded contour of please her, gives her an attrac-

Her marriage to Hossein will This means "love of family" open a new career to her—that and the area contains the of film actress. This has long "lullaby centre." which prompts been her secret ambition which a parent to rock a child-in-arms I understand her flance is only

AND FRANCO . . .

La coming visit to Spain which had provoked criticism ment after Brigitte Bordot, One of the aldesmen thanked in Britain provides an op- Jean Marais ar Michele Morlogical treat." She smiled and postunity for examining the and produced the necessary

> These are frigidly formal to break the ice but so far with-

ing hearts on dummy's long for a Phrenological, Delineation, smooth operator might effect a his term. -(London Express Service). | thaw.

Three weeks ago the Count appealed to him to ban a conference that was to be held in political prisoners.

The General's reply was one of his ominous grunts.

The conference duly took place but what was interesting was the facilities provided by the French for the secret arrival here and the safe return to Spain of several Spanish lawyers whose evidence was vital to the success of the conference.

In fact the Spanish delegates were met at the frontler by police cars which took them on to Paris and which repeated the them to return.

BUSINESSMEN

REPORT on increasing tendency on the part of American Big Businessmen to become enamoured of Paris head waiters and hire them to be trained as executives with their own companies.

This has now happened to four leading Parls head waiters.

These generous gestures of course might spring in part from an inverted snobbery which considers a head waiter's job demeaning. This tendency provokes the pleasing fantasy of a race of future American tycoons who, returning here as tourists, will have a notably improving effect on the standards of service and food in Paris restaur-

THE STARS

RALLY ROUND

interesting dilemma faces the very beautiful actress Lise Bourdin.

Mile Bourdin recently sued tho widow of the famous French film producer Henri Tual alleging that she had obtained £800 from her on the promise that she would obtain a part for her in a forthcoming film.

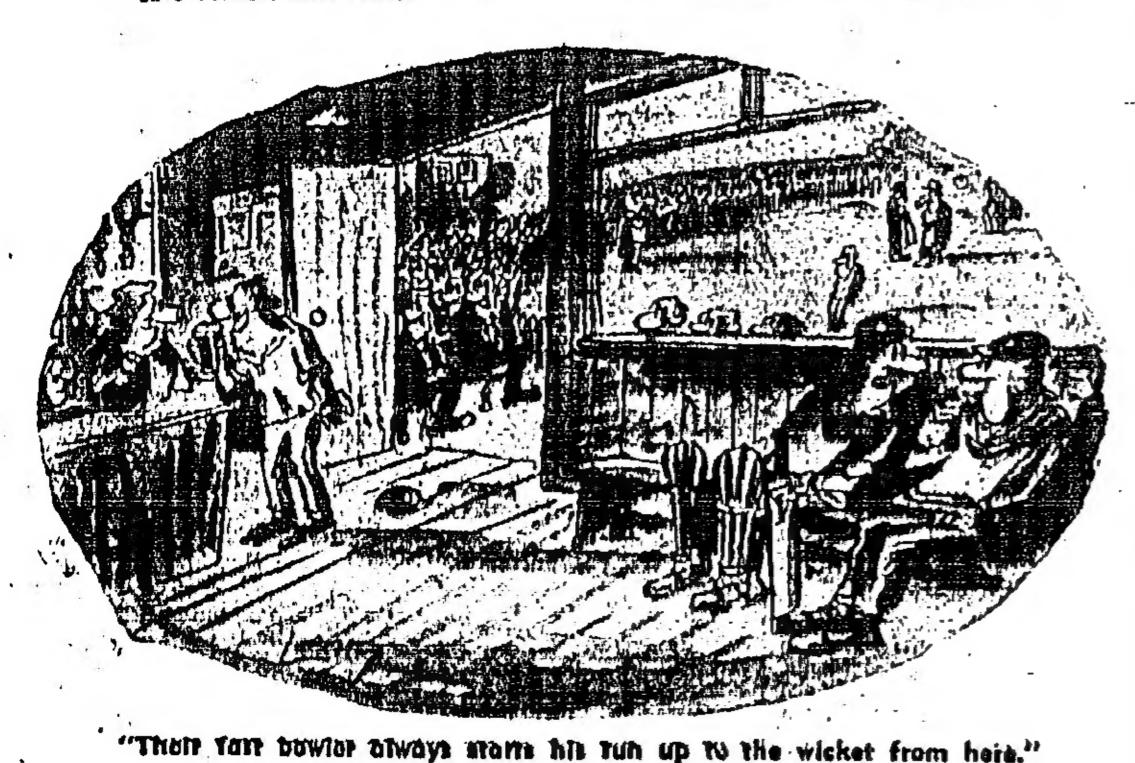
The court postponed its judggan rallied round Mme Tual

Can Mile Bourdin accept this virtual donation from her fellow stors? At the moment she is undecided.

"DANDY" REM Watersteld, in prison for his part in the Warner Riviers Jewel theft, will be releaved at the end of This year. after having served only ball

-- (London Express Service).





TYERE is another hand that NORTH (D) 11 **11** has appeared before. It is my luckiest hand of all time and **♣QJ843** None 4KQJ1088

WEST

If anyone knows of a luckier hand I would like to see it. I sat South and opened a spade in third seat. West might have bid - seven hearts - right away, but he felt that if he did that he would not be allowed to play it. So he merely doubled and, as you can see, contented himself with bidding five and six hearts at his next two turns

His bidding fooled me completely. I decided that he was defending and doubled the six heart bid, but now West could not stand prosperity. He redoubled! When it got back to me I took out my own double to six spades and West went to seven hearts. At this point it finally be-Ame obvious that West was

V*CARD Serise **

Q-The bidding has been: Rast South Pana 1 A Phas Pass AN.T. Pass Page You, South, hold: **4KJ8G5 ¥K32 4A854 4**0

What do you do? A-If you feel ambillous bid seven hearis. If you want to be scientific, bid five no-tramp to ask for kines.

TODAY'S QUESTION You ask for kings, Your partner responds six clubs to show no kings. What do you do now?

Answer Toingitoit

▲ 10752 A Nona VAKQJ875 9875 AKQJ43 A975 -None BOUTH AKOG **¥** 10 3 1062 **B**A432 No one vulnerable North East South West Pass 1 h Double Pass Pass 5 💜 Pans Pans 6 🖤 Pass Double Redouble Pass 6 **♠** 7 ♥ Pass Page 7 h Double Paga

EAST

sitting there with 13 red cards, so I went to seven spades Miss Morgan for "a phrenowhich West doubled. led the three of spades and Diet on Temperament." the lack of trumps. Finessed write nasty things about us.

Pans Pass Pass

Opening lead-+ K

of flve Deal til Story

"OH-H-H-H!" said the tall, tall girl with a bob of ruffled red hair and by Sylvia da Costa-Roque gorgeous eyes, "this is the most wonderful time of my life."

Speaking was Maria Grazia Jacomelli, known officially as Miss Italy. Around her, nodding their heads vigorously in agreement were four other very tall, very beautiful girls, Miss Germany, Ingrun Hoeckel; Miss Austria, Luisa Kammermayer; Miss France, Yvette Degremont, and Miss Europe, Christine Spatzler,

Said Christine, "This is a once-in-a lifetime experience." Miss France, who speaks very little English, widened her eyes and said "marvellous" in French. For these girls, who are live of the lovellest in Europe, are on a three-month tour of the Far



Miss France, Yvette Degrement in Maggy Rouff's sculptured "Elfe."



Opalescent sequins embroidered on white lace make up "Leda" by Maggy Rouff, worn here by Miss Italy, Maria Grazia Jacomelli.

from the Paris fashion houses for a hair-do. of Jacques Griffe and Maggy The "baby" of the party is

Paris in March and went brought up in New Zealand. straight to Japan where they Her home is now French fashions in Salgon, months. Bangkok and Phnompenh.

Sight-seeing

a chance to go shopping yet. "but compete for the title of we are dying to see Hongkong Europe in Beirut. materials, and we are all certainly going to buy cheongsams" sald Ingrun Hocckel.

Said Miss Austria, "we are all going to get off the plane wearing them when we arrive back in Europe. They'll be sersational."

All the girls are chaperoned as carefully as if they were a party of schoolgirls on an excursion, - and that means no boy friend is the son of the

anywhere without the permis- receives flowers from gion of M Jacques Prieur, the every day.

East with the Comite Francaise encretary of the committee, and L'Elegance, presenting even have to ask him before breathtakingly lovely clothes they can make an appointment

Miss German", who is only 19. And their tour so far, has She is a blondo with a peaches been heetle. The party left and cream complexion, who was held 40 parades in all the major Dusseldort where she runs a cities. They are new holding school for training ground hosparades in the Ambassador tesses, an estabot of her Hotel under the auspices of the mother's public relations firm. local Centre of Elegance. From Before she left on this tour, she Hongkong they are off to show tape-recorded lessons for three

She does photographic modelling for most of Europe's magazines and until about two years ago she was a student of In between parades they are voice and the piano at the being taken around on sight. Robert Schuman Censervaseeing tours. They haven't had torium, Next month she will

Miss France who has heavily accentuated dark brown eyes and brown halr, is a house model for Maggy Rouff in Paris. and is expert at showing Maggy Rouff clothes which swirl with clouds of chiffon and georgetic

Cabled flowers

president of a world-wide aren't allowed to go flowers-by-cable service.



"Premier-Bal" by Maggy Rouff, worn by Miss Germany, Ingrun Hoeckel.

YOUR CHINA MAIL HOROSCOPE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

AQUARIUS (January 21- VIRGO (August 22not be able to keep pace with your competitors if you cling too tenaciously to outmoded traditions.

20); Don't be dazzled by too pretentious a display of wealth in a house you visit, but pity the owners for their poor taste.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): An unsatisfactory domestic situation should not be allowed to continue through sheer inertia on your part. Try to do something about

but I did lots of walking, hop- TAURUS (April 20-May 20): SAGITTARIUS You will not be taking an undue risk by investing a modest sum on a friend's recommendation. GEMINI (Mny 21-June 21):

Your great energy is a valuable asset and acts as n spur to those who work with you. CANCER (June 22-July 21):

Avoid the society of some questionable newcomers to your district, if you want to maintain your good reputation. LEO (July 22-August 21): A rocial engagement may

YOUR LUCKY CARD: If have to be cancelled owing to urgent pressure of work.

Miss Italy is a model in Rome The wardrobe mistress, are holding another tea-show and does a lot of television Paulette Pradeynol, has the at 5,30 this afternoon. Two work. Most of her clothes are hardest job. The clothes are more dinner shows are scheduled designed and made by her her responsibility. There are for Friday and Saturday nights. mother although she does have over 50 cutfits, which, with their another dress-maker "round the matching accessories, make up. M Pricur is thrilled that the Miss Austria is a model for a each unpacking, all have to be well wherever they have been

big store in Linz, and Miss pressed and they have to look held, and is already making Europe, who is also Austrian, as fresh and crisp as they did plans for a return next year models in Vienna. Both girls do when they left Paris, a great deal of television and In Hongkong the girls have from Paris and five more beauti-

32 pieces of luggage. After parades have been received so

already given four parades and ful girls.

with brand new fashion news



A shadow of black tulle over white grosgrain — Jacque Griffe's "Recital," modelled by Miss Austria,



Miss Europo, Christine Spatzier, in a cognac-brown Maggy Rouff cocktail

Chirpie Takes A Swim

-He Thought The Waves Had Invited Him In-

By MAX TRELL

the Shadow Children with the Birds. There were Walking-Turned-About Names, as he Birds, like Chickens. There were alighted on the window sall, 'I Swimming-Birds, like Ducks and dian't we either of you all day Geese and Seagulls. Then there "We were here, Chirple dear," lows, Sparrows and Robins.

Chirpic was away

"That's right," said Chirple, said as he paused to eat some of the the window sill, "I was the one ming-Birds that can fly. you think I went?" Knarf and Hanid answered they can fly as well as swim. that they could not guess where

Chirple had spent yesterday, for Chirpie, like all other Birds, had the whole sky to fly around in. added, "not all Flying-Birds can sands of places that Chirple who discovered that he couldn't could have spent the day that swim at all." it was almost impossible to them where he had been.

A swimming-day

"the weather was fine. It was the waves all busy talking. warm. It was a swlenning-day if I ever saw one." In some surprise, Knarf and cwim'!"

had gone swimming. "That's exactly what I did." "You're not a Swimming- "I did," said Chirpie.

Bird," said Knarf, "You're a

Flying-Bird." 66 FELL," SAID Chirple Spar- Knarf had long ago decided W row to Knart and Hanid, that there were many kinds of were Flying-Birds, like Swal-"Flying-Birds can't swim," "Where were you?" asked Knarf said, "and Swamming-Birds can't fly."

Here Chirple shook his head. "Wrong-wrong-wrong!"

"There are plenty of Flyingcrambs that were spread out on Birds that can swim and Swimwho was away. And where do "Wild Ducks and Wild Geese can swim as well as fly, and

Not all can swim

"But," Chirple immediately my tail." There were so many thou- swim. I know one Sparrow

wing at himself and sald: 'Yesterday," said Chirple, I got down to the ocean, I found teathers." "They were saying:

Hanld asked him whether he , "I hope," said Hanld, "you weren't foolish enough to go "Of course!" enid Chirple, swamming in the ocean, a tiny Bird like you who can't swim?"

Rupert and the Paper-fall-36



"When you were telling of the adventure you and Edward had I declares. "We had to turn from was the only person without a pre- left to tight. When we wanted to sent, so I was probably the only change everything back again we person listening. Do tell me again. turned the other way." " I'm going This you really change the place to rey it myself this minute." says you were in just by turning round. Algy. ALL RIGHTS RESERVED



three times?" "Yes, it sounds impossible, but we did," Rupert



"Yesterday was a swimmingday," Chirple told Shadows.

of the water just like a Duck. I moved my feet up and down. "But how could I paddle without any web feet! "Along came a wave that broke over my head. It wet

my feathers from my head to Should have flown

"You should have flown

awny," said Knarf. Knarf and Hanid didn't have "Of course I should have, guess where he might have gene, to ask who he meant because said Chirple. "But you have no They asked Chirpie to tell Chirpie pointed the end of his idea how difficult it is to fly when your feathers are wet. "I don't expect you to under-"You see," he went on, "when stand this because you have no

"I guesa," sald Hanid, "it would be the same as trying to "'Chirpie, come in for a walk if your clothes were soak-

> Doesn't wear clothes "I don't wear clothes," said Chirple, "but I guess you're

> Knarf said that he guessed Chirple didn't have a very good time at the beach: "Oh, I did," replied Chirple. "I didn't go awimming again,

ping and flying. "I walked and hopped along the beach. Then I flew right over those busy waves." "And did they keep telling you to come in for a swim?"

Hanid asked. . Heard them wrong "I guess I must have heard them wrong the first time," said the Sparrow, "because when flew over the second time, I distinelly heard them say:

"'Don't come near the water, Chirplei' "And I really took their ad-

"I'm a Flying-Walking-Hopplag-Bird and nothing, nothing. nothing can make me into a Swimming-Bird!"

February 19): You will September 22): Don't begrudge a favour that is asked of you, but be grateful you are in a position to

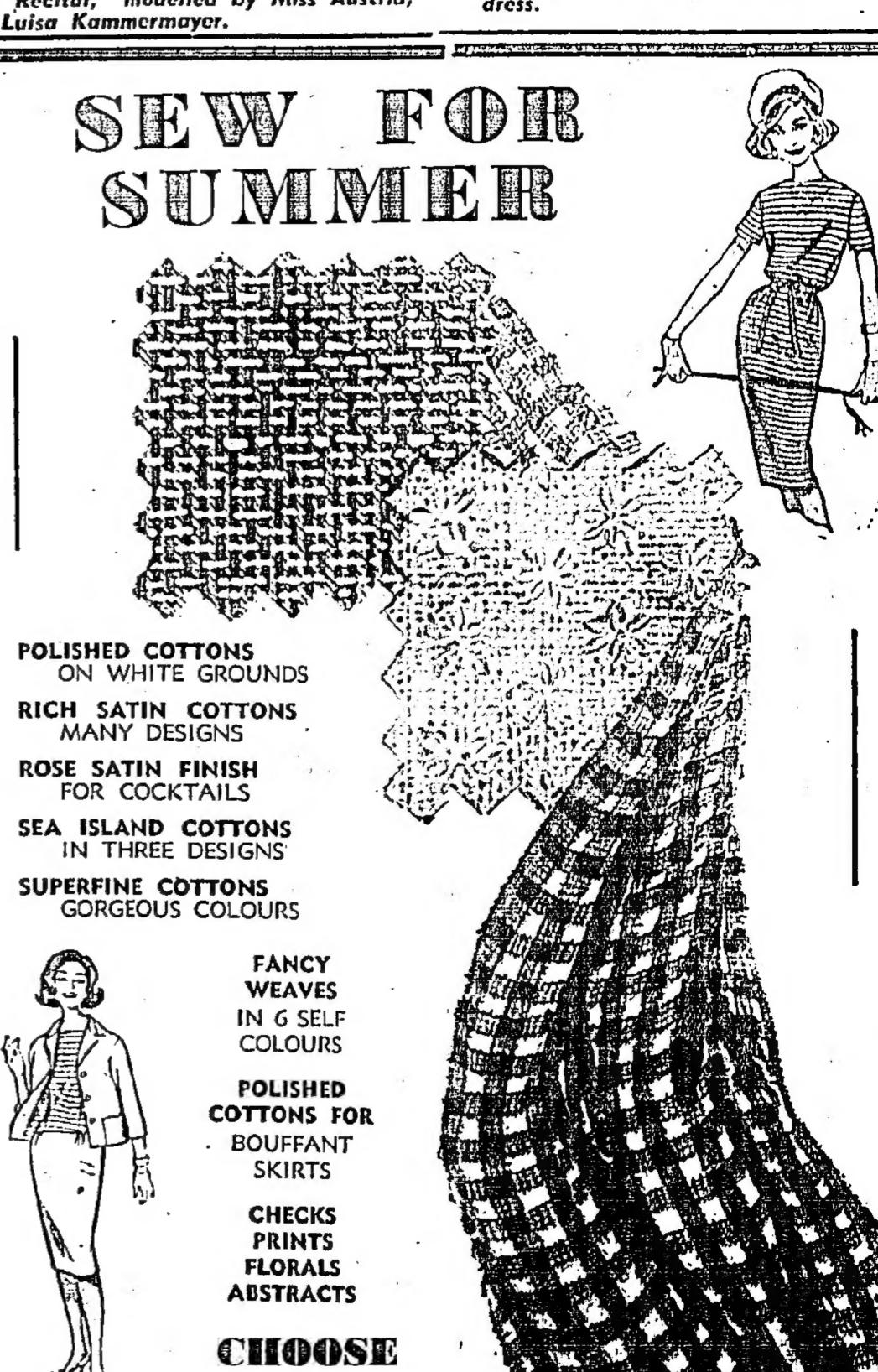
grant it. PISCES (February 20-March LIBRA (September 23-October 22): It would be highly unwise to make a confident of a person you have known a comparatively short time.

CORPIO (October 23-November 21): Don't, let a private quarrel with a colleague interfere with the smooth running of your business.

22-December 21): Your impatience could be an obstacle to your advancement. Force yourself to see things through even when they become tedious. CAPRICORN (December 22 January 20): By recalling a similar experience in the past, you may find a ready solution to the problem confronting you now.

· (November

today is your birthday, your lucky card, no matter what game you may be playing, ought to be the! QUEEN of CLUBS.



hiteaways WILL SERVE YOU BEST

NOW!

CUP FINAL SENSATIONS

The fateful day that Villa won the and League

lvor Yorke

(This is the first of a series of six articles by Ivor Yorke recapturing the most dramatic moments in Cup Final history).

Such speed, such skill. Never had football been played as it was in that 1897 Cup Final. Sixty-five thousand people—the biggest soccer crowd ever assembled — watched enthralled.

The F.A. Cup competition was 25 years old and already an institution in the rapidly-growing world of big-time soccer. The attendance, which exceeded the previous Cup Final best by 20,000, was proof of the tournament's magic attraction.

Favourite is withdrawn

Paris, Apr. 25. The Aga Khan's filly Opaline, the favourite for Guineas at Newmarket, will not run in the race.

Khan's trainer, told reporters that the filly had intestinal

clear up fairly soon." Opaline, who was quoted at | six yards of the ball. 2-1 in ante-post lists, was to have been ridden by Australian Neville Sellwood.—China Mail

CHARITY BOXING

Tingle's Athletic Institute I holding its annual charity boxing display at the Hongkong Cricket Club tomorrow at 5.15

taken, the entire proceeds of which will go in aid of St | Sunderland, James Settlement.

Presentation of Ladies' Recreation Club badminton prizes at 7 pm. 1st Division: Kwong Wah v AFS (Club) 5.30 pm; Eastern v Caroline Hill (Police) 5.30 pm.

Receive Divinion: Earlern y Careline Hill (Police) 4 pm. Meeting meeting at Sports-road, 8 pm. TOMORROW Meeting HKAAA Executive Committee

meeting, Education Dept, 5.30 pm. HKFA Council meeting at Sportsroad, 6 pm. Flag Competition, 9.15 am.

NOTICE

THE ROYAL HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

HONG KONG DERBY Saturday, 6th May, 1961

Over 500,000 tickets sold to date.

The sale of Cash Sweep Tickets on the above wil close on Friday, 5th May, 1961, as follows:--

Prince's Building (facing Statue Square) at 6.00 p.m.

5. D'Aguilar Street at 5.00 p.m.

King's Road, North Point at 4.00 p.m. 382, Nathan Road, Kowloon, at 4.00 p.m.

By Order of the Stewards, PEAT, MARWICK; MITCHELL & CO. Treasurers.

This was the dawn of soccer's Boyle, their right-half, took golden age. Exciting changes a free-kick close in and in the were taking place. The new gramble that followed Harliey technique of passing was re- got a foot to the ball and placing individualism. Profes- scored. slonalism-legalised 12 years Two-one, Villa countered earlier-was lifting standards with fast, speedy attacks to new heights.

heavy moustaches and shirts it and it was their turn to force were worn outside the shorts. the ball into the net with inside-The pitch for the 1897 Final left Freddie Wheldon applying bore no penalty spot, but had a the finishing touch. penalty line marked across the field 12 yards from goal.

This served as the penalty area and a player could take been created. Never before had Mr Head added: "It is only a that line. The goalkeeper, who than a single goal. Now, with temporary indisposition and will today must remain motionless the result still in the balance certainly not affect. Opaline's on the goal-line until the ball each side had scored twice. racing career. I expect it to is kicked, was then allowed to advance beforehand to within

> ton included any big money terval lead. rignings in their Cup Final lineups. The first £1,000 transfer was still eight years away.

hold names. They were was recommenced with reneworiginal members of the Football League, formed nine years carlier, and were enjoying a period of success that made fatigable John Bell, the Everton them stand out even among forwards kept up rejentless atsuch illustrious sides as Preston tack. Whitehouse, in the toole termis Yiu Cheuk-yin (Tung Wah) ... North End. Sheffield United and Villa goal, spent most of the

Everton, League champions in 1891 and runners-up on two other occasions, had already bien losing Finalists. Villa, reigning Lengue Champions, had appeared in three previous

Pinals and won two ONLY ONCE

"double" of winning HKFA Interport Sub-Committee had been accomplished only 1888-89 season.

By Cup Final day, April 10, just seen. Villa were virtually certain to retain the Championship. They Shek O Club Ladies' Guests Day, jied the League by a comfortable margin and could be caught only by Derby, who had to win all their remaining matches

while Villa lost all theirs. ability. The passing of their on Dinoy. English international right wing tric of Howard Spencer, John Special Cash Sweep on the Reynolds and Charlie Ather- 10, 1897, Aston Villa clinched fence with the precision and Championship. incisiveness of a surgeon's

Everton defence had again nearest rivals.

*remendous courage and determination., Almost at once they were level. Scottish international inside-right John Bell, son, and the season before. No but through by centre-forward wonder they say in soccer that Hartley, racest between the the team which beats Villa wins Villa backs, drew Jimmy the Cup. Whitehouse from his goal, and him into the net.

shook. Everton, playing as achieving the double. assuredly as their opponents, slotmed into the attack and took the lead.

In the 38th minute Villa were asvarded a free-kick. James Many players still sported Crabtree, their left-half, took

- RECORD

Thus one record had already the kick from any point along the loring finalists scored more

Villa took the lead again on the stroke of half-time. A perfeet header from a right-wing Neither Asion Villa nor Ever- | cross gave them their 3-2 in-

The break came as a relief for players and spectators, exhausted by the excitement But both teams were house- Came the second half and battle

> - Beested by a strong - backing 🚹 🖁 wind and irrpired by the Indetime either diving to, or pickling himself up from, the

Finally, inside-left Edgar Chadwick-broke_through-on his own and fited in a shot that seemed booked for the back of the net-until White- | Alagbala 21-12, 21-10. house brought off another superb save.

That way. Eye, ton's last reised to strike for the chance. The final whistle found

DECISIVE

While Villa were engaged in winning this Olympian struggle another decisive soceir event was taking place up in the Lancachire industrial town of Villa went into the Final with Bury. There, the home side ad-, a confidence born of supreme ministered a 1-0 league defeat

So on the afternoon of April smith dissected the Everton de- the Cup Final and the League

They finished the season in fitting style. The final tally saw In the 18th minute, after the them eleven points clear of their

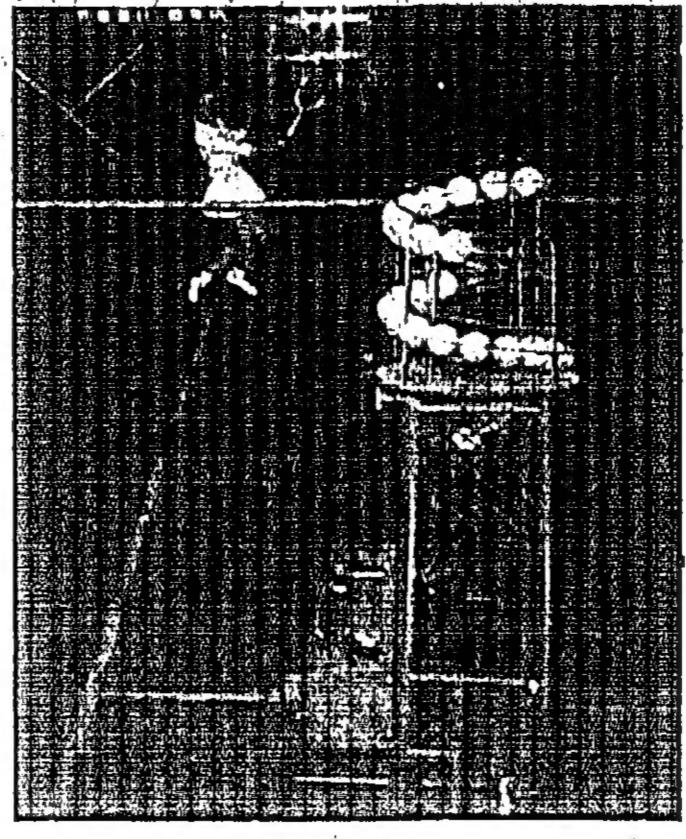
been laid bare, Athersmith With seven Cup Final victories slipped the ball to centre to their credit Villa have now forward John Campbell whose won the trophy more times than 70-vard drive swerved in the any other club in the country. high wind and deceived the Villa's Cup tradition: Another factor has added to astonishing number of times that Everton came back with the team which has beaten them in an early round has gone en to win the Final.

It happened again last sea-

Tottenham Hotspur, 2-0 wincalmly flicked the ball past ners at Villa Park in the fifth Leeds round this season, now stand 90 minutes away from proving the Grimsby The surprised Villa sup- saying again—and of equalling Watford porters were due for a further Villa's 64-year-old record of

> Tomorrow: When Spurs were the underdogs.

Robot tennis player



Robble, the robot tennis player, who cost £100, stands in the Hudderssield Territorial Drill Hall, and fires off 40 balls a minute with all the speed of Lew Hoad, plus cardindex accuracy. Commented a soldier: "What a weaponif it could throw grenades". But Robbie is used for a somewhat more peaceful purpose, helping Sally Houldsworth to reach the top as a tennis player. Said 17-year-old Sally: "My father bought Robbie a year ago. He has been a terrific help. The main advantage over human opponents is his terrifle accuracy." Robbie can hurl 40 balls one after the other, in precisely the same direction, or he can be geared to shoot at different angles and speeds. Picture shows: Robot Robble serves an ace to Sally Houldsworth.—Express

Ambassadors of Football contest

The standings in the Hongkong Ambassadors of Football contest, including yesterday's votes, are as follows:

Cairo, Apr. 25. The U.A.R. today defeated Nigeria 5-0 in a friendly table tennis match.

U.A.R. champion Fawzi el Chan Kwel-wing (La Salle) 83 Nebrashi beat West African Ko Hon-sheung (Wah Yan HK) 66 singles champion Mudashiru K. Sadiku of the Nigerian Cheung Cheuk-hung (Wah Yan team said his team was unlucky and will "try to do our best in

the coming games." the Villa clutching to their precious here on Friday from Peking The Nigerian team arrived fam Kam-shing (Soon Ching) 23 Cup and the League. This lead. The Earl of Rosebery, where they represented Nigeria presenting the trophy to John at the world table tennis cham-Devey, Villa's captain, spoke of pionships. They are scheduled the "Olympian struggle" he had to play two more matches here.

bicycle marathon

Manila, Apr. 25. Seventy-two cyclists, including eight from South Korea, pedalled off today on the 1,354-mile tour of Luzon bicycle marathon. The cyclists will compete for each prizes amounting to 41,000 pusos (£7,464) during the 13-

day marathon. The prize is 5,000 pesos (£892 The Koreans were the only foreigners in the tour. Most of them are Olympics

and Asian Games veterans,-

UK football results

London, Apr. 25. Results of football league matches played tonight were: Division 2 2 Scunthorne Division 3 0 Port Vale

--- Reuter.

0 Bournemouth 3 Southend Division 4 Dohenster 3 Manasteld Morthampton 2 Acctington Oldham Crewe A'dra 3 Peterborough

Italian wins Grand Prix

SENIOR TEAM

Wong Man-wai (Happy Valley) 318

Ho Cheung-yau (S.S.A.A.) 236

Ko Po-Frang (Tung Wah) 162

Kung Wah-kit (Police) 128

Wong Chi-keung (S.C.A.A.) 108

Chow Shlu-hung (K.M.B.)

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Syracuse, Sicily, Apr. 25. taly's Giancarlo Baghettl in a Ferrari won the Syracuse , Automobile Grand Prix when he covcred the 56 laps over 308 kilometres in 1 hour 50 minutes 8.2 seconds an average speed 167.791 kilometres on

hour here today. America's Dan Guerney In a Porsche was second in I hour 50 mirates 13.2 records and Sweden's Joachim Bonnier also in a Porsche was third, one lap behind the winner.

Australia's world champion, Jack Brabham in a Cooper, was fourth and Britain's Roy Salvadori also in a Cooper was fifth, both one lap behind the winger. Britain's Stirling Moss in o

Lotus was eighth at four laps. Dan: Guerney clocked the fastest lap when he covered the 54th Inp. at an average speed of 172.323 kilometres an hour. I AFP.

Football clean-up campaign urged

I presume that the H. K. F. A. was officially represented at the football match on Sunday between Police and Rowloon Motor Bus and that a report will be submitted to the Association on this game. In the event that this presumption is incorrect. I should

like as a paying spectator to

make known to the H.K.I'.A. through the medium of the press and as a matter of general interest my sheer dismist at the sorry spectacle perpentrated in the name of soccer at Boundary Street last Sunday. All the more so because one of the teams represents the H.R. Police Force which we associated with a high degree of discipline and self control. Both of these attributes were conspicuous by their absence and it is difficult to understand why the team officials didn't take positive steps at half time to censure players concerned. If they did then it should be clear what to do next!

Having been associated with the game in Hongkong both as a player and spectator for more than a decade, seldom, if ever, have I witnessed such a combination of sub-standard football, indiscriminate foulhig, complete contempt for the referee and such weak and ineffectual control exercised by the referee-all in one game. The playing conditions may not have been conducive to good football but no effort was made by either team to adapt themselves to these conditions. Instead we witnessed a series of personal vendettas, much whistle blowing but little firm action by the referee until late in the second half when he booked several players and in the last 15 seconds of the game sent of the Police outside left. What did he think he had achieved by this belated action? The game had fallen to its lowest derths long before and in this writer's judgment the referee would have been completely justified if he had

abandoned the game. This sorrowful exhibition must be added to a long line of footballing incidents on the home front in recent years. which surely, sooner or later, must spark the local football administrators into a long awalted clean-up campaign. It has been said before and can bear saying again that since the departure of Sir Arthur

Morse and Mr Jack Skinner the administration of the

CHESS By LEONARD BARDEN A R

Here is a problem by G. Guldelll (Good Companions 1951). White to play and mate in two moves. London Express Serulce.

steadily deteriorated. At the present time the H.K.F.A. faces a challenge—a challenge to re-establish its authority, Its Integrity and character and its ability to handle footballing matters in the dest interests of clubs, players and the raying public alike.

What is holding it back? If one were to believe all the rumours . In circulation, the H.K.F.A. is slowly drowning in a cesapool of intrigue, personal rivalry, and power politics. What place there unsavoury subjects could have in administrating a sport such as football I cannot guess and one would like to believe them to be a figment of someone's imagination. However, it would be futile to

blind oneself to all the things that cloud the soccer scene here in Hongkong. The time has come for positive action by men, of courage without regard for personal prestige and reward. If the axe must fall on officials and players who seek to discredit the authority of the Association, for whatever purpose it may be, let it be wielded unrelentlessly. We can do without the accalled soccer stars if need be and they should be made aware of this. Elsewhere, particularly in Europe soccer is striding forward. In England the "wind of change" has certainly blown new ideas and a new refreshing atmosphere into football there. Having recently returned from that country, I have seen the new approach to the game. In comparison we are far behind but what is more important we are lacking that sense of

purpose and urgency combined with a blue print to revitalise and re-educate Hongkong's foolballers.

feel sure I express the opinion of the "man in the street" who keeps the turnestites ticking over, when I urge the H.K.F.A.-

(a) to stamp out, ruthlessly if necessary, all dirty play by penalizing players with life suspensions in appro-(b) to film all "necule" games and "bring to book" Clubs

whose players engage in on the field activities designed to influence the rebuit of a zame: (c) to chilst the services of the Government Tax Department to examine the books of unofficial rponsors connected with some Clubs to eliminate as far as possible payments in

excess of legitimate expenses: (d) reverse the apparent polley of appeasement in matters of football, administration and adopt a tough 'no nonsense', policy with all clubs irrepective of whom it effects; and

(e) consider engaging annual. ly a summer coach from England to give added impetus to the work of the Association's official local coach.

The knowledgeable people in our football fraternity may find nothing new in these suggestions but at least if some were implemented we might have more worthy football to grace the fine stadia in Hongkong. For good reaon I must remain.

12th MAN.

World of sport

By JOHN COTTRELL

Beware of "Morty." That's my warning to the globe-trotting tennis girls now converging on Britain at the start of the two-month tune-up for the Wimbledon Championships.

way with the opening of the against. Althea Gibson. Now British Hard Court Champion- Miss Mortimer has little hope ships in Bournemouth. Stars of winning through this orduous on parade include American championship, but she can still Darlene Hard, cause plenty of upsets. Britain's Ann Haydon, back from an impressive Caribbean year, dour, determined Angela tour, and Christine Truman, only has won fear major covered girl to take a set from Maria | court titles-those of Germany, Bueno at last year's Wimbledon. France, Scandinavia, and Great

These three, plus Sandra Raynolds (South Africa) and tine Truman. fart-improving Karen Hantze (United States), are regarded as be regarded as a great threat on the chief chellengers to Miss the fast grass of Wimbledon, Miss Bueno in her bid to score a hat- Mortimer's consistent, deadly trick of Wimbledon singles accurate baseline game can still

29-year-old courts. Angela Mcrtimer. As the "forgotten girl" of tennis, she don champions as Doris Hart, shock the experts by reaching Shirley Fry and Althea Gibson. the Wimbledon final of 1958. And she has won the British And she could be the big sur- | Hard Court title at Boumemouth price packet again this season. three times-in 1955, 1956 and In that Wimbledon final, she

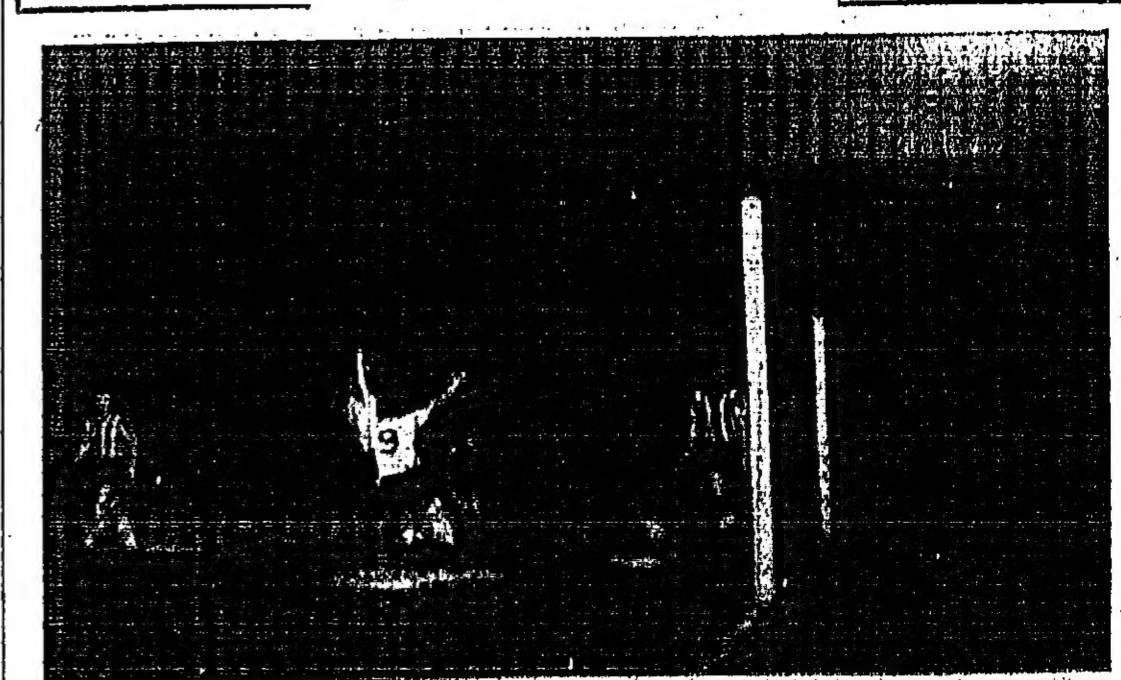
The European outdoor season missed her life's ambition after is now getting seriously under including a point for the first set

Within four weeks of this Britain. Her victims included Ann Haydon (twice) and Chris-

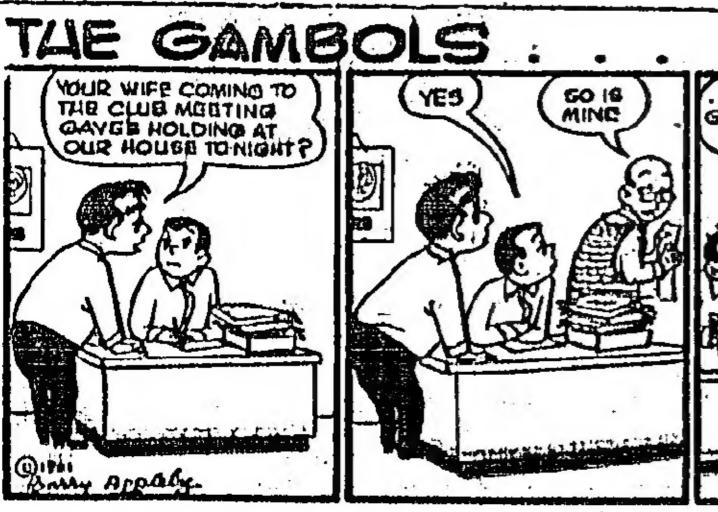
While she lacks the power to wear down the greatest of But don't forget "Morty," players on covered and hard

She has beaten such Wimble-

The championship goal



Picture shows: The goal that made the score Tottenham 2, Sheffeld Wedriesday 1, and clinched the champlonship for Spurs, Les Alleit scored it, and Bobby Smith (No D, and who scored the Spurs first goal) jumps for joy. Express Photo.

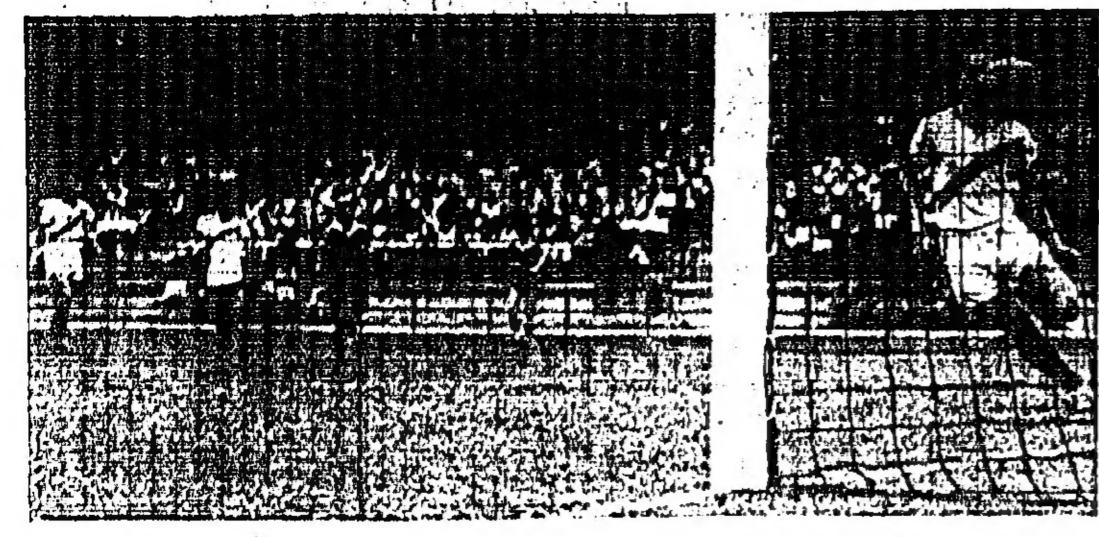












ABOVE: Happy Valley and Tung Wah drew 3-3 in a First Division football match at the Hongkong Stadium on Sunday, Tung Wah led 2-1 at half-time. Photo shows Tung Wah's second goal being scored (by Lo Kwoktai not in picture), while Lai Chin-kau rushes to the net in an attempt to save the goal.—China Mail Photo.



ABOVE: during the annual sports day of Tingle's Athletic Institute held at the Hongkong Cricket Club on Saturday. A memorial garden to the late Mrs Frances Owen - Hughes was opened in the Club grounds on the same occasion. — China Mail Photo.

RIGHT: Kowloon won the Hongkong Amateur Athletic Association's triangular match at the Hongkong Stadium on Saturday. :: Second_were the 48 Infantry Brigade and last were Hongkong. T. Robertson kong) is seen winning the 800 metres event in 2 mins 5 seconds.—China Mail Photo.





The Queen smilingly shakes hands with the England soccer captain, insideleft Johnny Haynes of Fulham, as she presents the British International Championship Trophy to him at Wembley Stadium recently. The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh had watched England score a 9-3 victory over Scotland.

Haynes—like the other players—was wearing a black armband as a tribute to the memory of Mr Arthur Drewry, the FA Chairman who died recently.

-Express Photo.



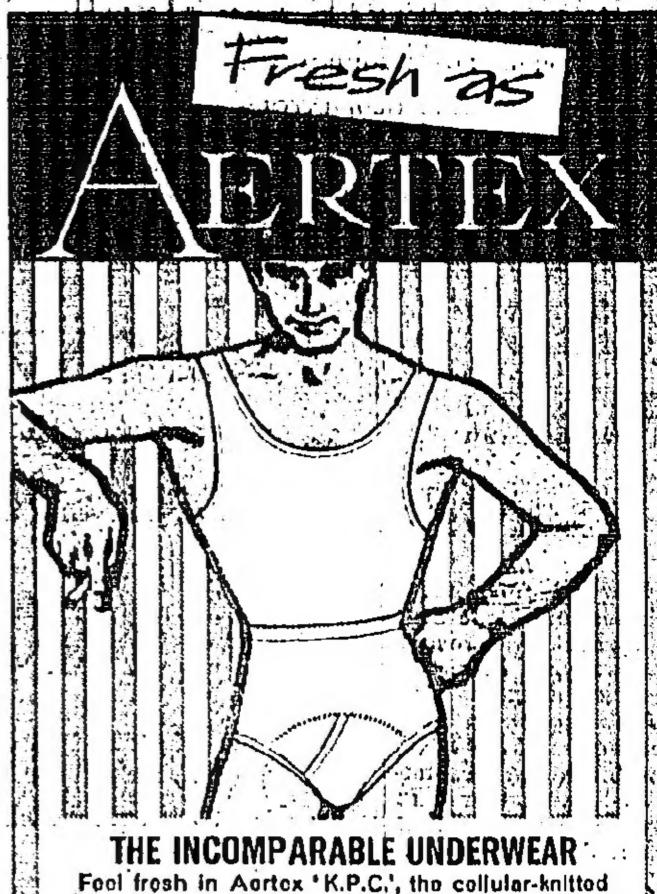


Cheng's Native Prince won the St George's Cup race over 114 miles at the Royal Hongkong Jockey Club meeting on Saturday. Photo shows from left to right Sir Sik-nin Chau, Mr A. H. Potts, Mr. D. Brittan Evans, Mr Alex Lam (the winning jockey), Mr J. F. Macgregor, Mr A. H. Penn, Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Mrs Cheng and Mr Y. K. Cheng after presentation of the award. — China Mail Photo.

Coombs (left) in" as new captain of Royal Hongkong

Golf Club at Fanling on Sunday. His drive was retrieved by one of the caddies. The caddy is seen receiving the traditional reward. -China Mail Photo.





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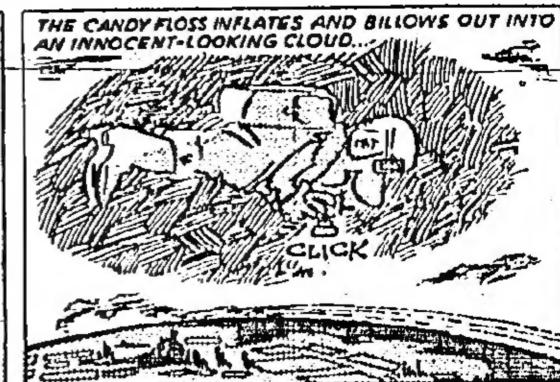
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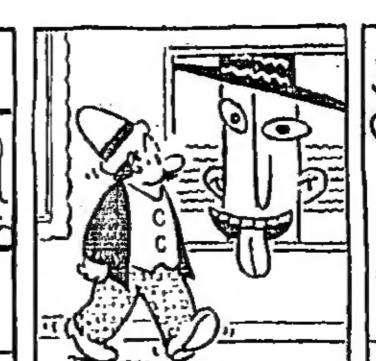






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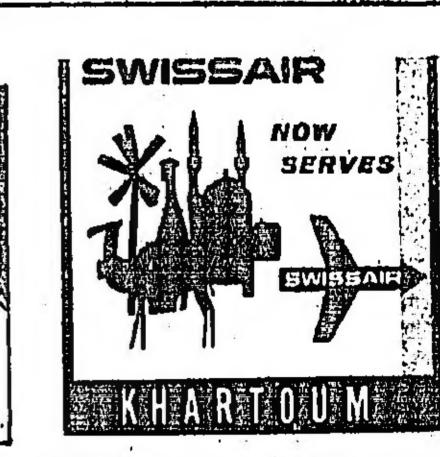






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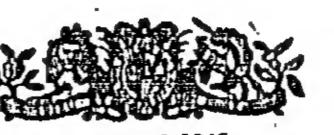




By Paul Norris

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KENNEDY'S FATHER ERROR

Washington, Apr. 25. Nazi German document alleged that Mr Joseph P. Kennedy, President Kennedy's father and U.S. Ambassador to London botween 1938-1940, advised President Frank-September 1940 that Britain had lost the war.

through," a German Embassy message to Berlin quoted the American diplomat as having reported,

Mr Kenn dy, the message "worned the President urgantly not to take irreparable step; England was finished (completely through), and the USA would have to pay the

S.cret," was dated September corrosive fluid with intent at his 30 and signed by Hans Thomsen, Charke d'Affaires of the German Embassy, It is one of the Nazi documents from German archives just released by the

State Department, of his information as follows: thee 1960. "Source: The reliable informant known to you."

TRY HARD

coolding to the German mersage. March-road she met Kam. reported in a telegram sent to turned and went up the stairs Mr Roolevelt and received by to No. 9. the fate Presidents on Septem- I ter Winston Churchill was criticized in England; that Greece, Yugoslavia, and Turkey "would seek to join the Axis because England no longer imp used them;" and that "the English will try very hard to thring the USA into the war as

HOOM-BE-MENTHINE - ---The Nazi diplomat added the Mr Morley-John. following comment to his mess-

"In centract to the optimism exhibited here on the score of sides and back of her neck and England's ability to resist, on her chest. She was de-Kenn, dy nevertheless perseveres | tained until March 3. consistently in his opinion that! the defeat of England is un- wife he ran away but was ar-

through" were in parenthesis in give evidence, said Mr Morley-English in the German original, John, that Lui and the cobbler a footnote in the volume pub- were contaminated with conlished by the State Department centrated nitric acid, explained,---AP,

Polio victim

London, Apr. 25. John Scott, England's former was reported today to be ill with | tion, who is taking up an appoliomyelitis. The 25-year-old full back, who plays for the London, will leave from New Harlequins, was said to have Queen's Pier at 2.15 pm toand arm.—AFP.

Crown outlines case at Criminal Sessions HUSBAND

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26,

was "completely A mother on her way to visit her children fled when she saw her husband coming towards her with a bottle in his hand.

But he caught her and poured nitric acid over her, Mr M. Morley-John, Crown Counsel alleged at Criminal Sessions today.

Before Mr Justice W. A Blair-Kerr was 41-year-old Kam Kau, an odd job plumber of 9 Marsh-road, first floor, The message, marked "Top Wanchai, necused of throwing wife, Lui Yuk Ying on February

He pleaded not guilty, Opening the case to the jury of six men and one woman, Mr Morley-John said Kam and his wife were married in 1944 but Thomsen described the source had not been living together

> Refuge bid On February 13, Lui return-

Led to her home at Marsh-road with some fruit for her Amba sade: Kennidy, se- children. On the corner

As she entered the building ber 27, 1940, that Prime Minis- she saw him coming down the stairs with a bottle. She ran being ; yerely and publicly out of the house to a nearby

cobblers stall. She tried to take refuge but Kam poured acid over her head and face, Mr Morley-John said. "She managed to grope her way to another house and wipe her face with cold water before being taken to Queen Mary Hospital-by-ambujance" said

Detained

Lui had burns on her face,

After Kam had attacked his rested in a nearby house, A Government chemist would The trial proceeds.

DEPARTURE OF MR G.O.W. STEWART

Mr G. O. W. Stewart, Deputy Chief Manager of the Hongkong Union International, and Shanghai Banking Corporapointment with the Bank in paralysis of the right shoulder morrow. He is flying to London taste, but the work closed with by BOAC.

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Chan Kwong, 26, of 238, Tonkin-street, Shumshuipo, was jailed 18 months by Mr D. Cors at Central Court this morning on a charge of theft

Chan admitted stealing purse containing \$6.05 from an unknown person outside 23 Cornaught-road Central on Monday.

He was caught in the act of

Indecently

assaulted

sister

Insp Wong Hei-man said that

On April 21 before

Two new cars

Renault, the French motor

car company, put two new

cars, the Gordini de Luxe and

the Dauphine Gordini, on the

British market today to

supersede the current Gordini

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models is now available in

London, Apr. 26.

soulted his sister.

model.

Mail Special.

promising young

By D. E. GRAY

WATHEN a promising young artist from Southeast Asia plays for us in Hongkong he or she deserves all the encouragement we can give.

For Hongkong today is on the "main line" for visiting world celebrities in the artistic fields, and thus it is hard going for a young plantst like Lolabelle Wong to put over a solo recital in the midst of a line of such distinguished guests as we have had here this year, especially when the numbers chosen are on the standard repertoire-Beethoven's Appassionata Sonata and two guilty-before Mr. T. C. Chan at many years during which no of the Liszt Paganini Etudes, North Kowloon Juvenile court imported salt-dried marine fish which have been given fine this morning to indecently was marketed. performances by some of the assaulting his four-year-old visiting artists.

Owing to an unfortunate delay I missed the opening Scarlatti Sonatas, but I am told these were played most neatly and that the artist's phrasing the boy was the elder brother showed a true understanding of the girl and both were livfor this very straightforward ing together with their mother.



I had some doubts about the epening bars of the Ravel Jeux D'eau but the artist developed a mensure of sparkling beauty tonal contrasts which justifies its being called a good performance by any standard.

I liked also the opening pastoral thone of Chopin's 2nd Ballade. The middle "storm" was a little typhoonish for my a pleasant haunting reference to the opening.

The "Appassionata" was the main work of the first half. This great Sonata was given good ordinary performance. This very young artist, in the further studies which I understand she is about to undertake in the United States will, I am sure, perceive and feel a greatness in this work which I don't think she quite feels at this

Miss Wong has a very fair measure of technique at her command, but I don't think she has quite enough for those terrible Liszt Etudes, and she had courage to tackle them.

To achieve the effect Liszt intended, these "runs" in the Etude No. 2 in E flat major, must be executed with light-ning speed and nimbleness, and there are portions in both No. and No. 3 (Campanella) which call for a measure of wrist strength which few women

In the Liszt numbers and elsewhere in the recital, in loud passages there was a tendency and then to decrease the speed as the music returned to piano. I doubt the wisdom of choosing the Liszt numbers, at least at this stago:

Mice Wong shows the greatest promise and I am sure music lovers in Southeast Asia will engerly look forward to her return after continuing her studies in the United States.

Theft from an unknown person

from an unknown person,

CHINA

which supplies Hongkong with more than 90 per cent of its requirements, dropped to about onethird of the normal total during the first quarter.

The decline in imports caused an increased demand for fresh marine fish on the local market, states the Commissioner for Co-operative Development and Fisheries, Mr J. Cater. Lardings of fresh marine fish marketed through the fish marketing organisation during the quarter totalled 181,337 piculs - representing a slight increase in quantity as compared with the preceding period.

"This was mainly due to the cessation of fishing activities during the Chinese New Year period and to the less favourable weather conditions prevailing in January and Februar,," Mr Cater explains.

Bait short

The weather mainly affected in-shore fishermen and, as a rosult, long liners were unable to obtain their full regulrements of bait. However, the position improved in March when inshore vessels were able to operate more extensively. As in the last quarter of 1960,

the average wholesale price of fresh marine fish remained high at \$93 a picul. Sales of imported and local salt-dried marine fish registered a further substantial decline during the period under review. A 15-year-old boy pleaded February was the first month in

The drop in sales of salt-dried marine fish was due partly to the high wholesale price of He was remanded for seven- fresh fish, which encouraged days for a probation officer's many local fishermen to sell their catches fresh rather than

market them in a saited state. 42 pc. drop

The total quantity of saitdried marine fish sold through the fish marketing organisation in the quarter was 6,043 piculs, mother left home for work she told the boy to look after his a drop of about 42 per cent as compared with the previous While the mother was gene the boy indecently asquarter.

The average wholesale price of \$60 was good but registered a decline of \$5 a picul in comparison with the previous quarter.

Gagarin off to Crimea

Moscow, Apr. 25.
Major Yuri Gagarin, the first man to return to earth in good health from a trip through space, left yesterday for a rest period 25th group (Tsun Wan). in the Crimen.

He obtained special permission The de Luxe model costs for the leave on the recommen- were the only groups in Kow-£797, including £235 purchase dation of Soviet Premier Nikita loon that do the shoe-shining tax in Britain, and the stand- Khrushchev. But first he saw and that they had started the ard Gordini £749, including the USSR-United States basket—campaign yesterday when they £221 purchase tax.—China ball game in which the Ameri- went to the Causeway Bay can team won 78 to 68.—AFP. Magistracy building.

Imports of pond-reared fresh water fish from China,

another rush been arrested.

Three queues formed at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Ltd this morning applying for Kowloon Motor, Bus Company shares.

"There was quite a rush this morning but not as bad yesterday," said a spokesman for the bank.

The rush started early this week when queues formed in the bank and at stock brokers'

Applications will close at 3 pm tomorrow and actual allotment of shares will be announced later.

The KMB is offering to the public 783,790 fully paid-upchares of \$10 each at \$58 a

deed for the day

Six boy scouts and five cubs of three scout troops went to North Kowloon Court this morning to do their good deed for the day by shining shoes to raise funds in aid of the Jubilee camp at the end of this year.

The three troops sponsored by the Social Welfare Department were from the 67th group (Wong Tal Sin), 50th Kowloon group (Tal Hang Tung) and

The scouts said that they

ARREST

London, Apr. 25. The Portuguese Embassy in the Italian Higher command ports that 100 members of the crew of the liner Santa Maria at the time of her seizure had been arrested in Portugal and that 78 ratings from a Portuguese warship sent to intercept the liner had

The reports, the Embassy statement said, were "totally devold of foundation."

(The original reports of the arrests were contained in a statement issued Portuguese anti-Salazar society arrive in Hongkong on the P in Britain - 'The 'Democratic Group'-which stated they had been smuggled out of Portugal.) -Reuter.

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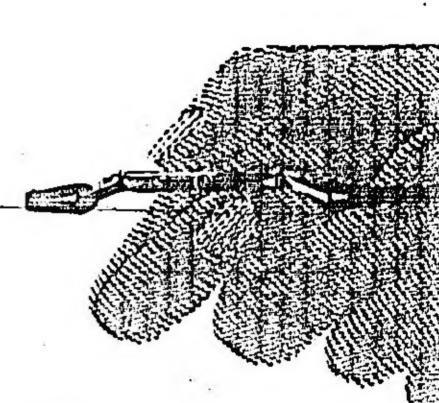
THE Government of Ethiopla have left Addia Ababa and looting and burn-ing have broken out in the capital which is at the mercy of armed tribesmen from the

benten armies. A British destroyer has put into Dilbouti. The Negus later arrived at Djibouti and at once went on board a British warship. The French Government has notified the Italian Government of the situation in Addis Ababa and London today 'denied re- is hurrying on the advance to

> A formal occupation may be delayed for some time

The Secretary of the Mui-tsai Commission, Captain John Jeff, arrived yesterday from Singapore aboard the Blue Funnel steamer Perseus. He is a member of the Malayan Civil Service. During his stay in Hongkong he will be the guest of Mr W. J. Carrie, head of the Secretariat of Chinese Affairs, and will be accommodated in the latter's office during the

The remaining members of the Commission are due to and O liner Ranpura next week. The members of the Commission are Sir Wilfrid Woods, Miss Picton-Turbervill and Mr C. A. Willis.



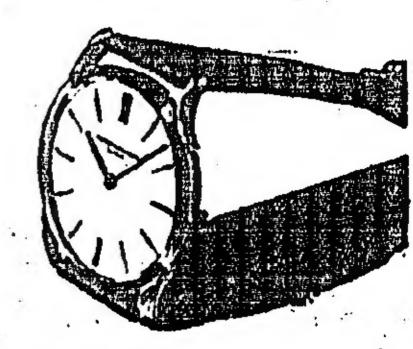
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